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London Blunders To Placate Diehards

Truth Behind Rejection Of Direct Election

Plighted Word To Chamberlain Group

PARTY PEACE ABOVE INDIA'S ADVANCE

Simla Views On Lords' Amendment For Elders' Election

(From Our Correspondent.)

SIMLA, July 5.

"Nowhere in the history of the world as far as I know", said a High Official to me this morning, "does this provision exist, providing for an indirectly elected Popular Chamber and directly elected Upper House. But, whatever the objection to this, it must be admitted that it is a better arrangement than having both Houses indirectly elected".

I further learn that the Government of India backed Lord Lothian's proposal for direct election in the Lower House but did not succeed in converting London to its view for the reason that the word given to Sir Austin Chamberlain could not be broken.

At the same time, the British Government realised that in this matter it had committed a fundamental mistake for the sake of party peace and, therefore, they agreed to record their belief in the method of direct election by accepting it for the Upper Chamber.

THE COMPROMISE

This compromise satisfied the Chamberlain group on the ground that the Upper Chamber will be overloaded with States' Representation nominated by Rulers and indirectly elected representatives of European, Christian, Anglo-Indian, and Depressed Classes, Minorities and that the aristocratic nature of franchise would ensure that only conservative element is elected to the Upper House.

I learn that though Lord Zetland could not directly answer Lord Reading's inquiry, the position is that the introduction of Direct Election would, "ipso facto" introduce dissolubility into the Council of States' life.

"WON ON PRINCIPLE"

I said, the other day, that however incongruous it might seem, the fight for direct election was to be fought in the House of Lords and so it has been fought and won on principle though not in effect. However, even this change may turn out to be a blessing in disguise, and introduce substantial elected element into a House which, might otherwise have become a great hindrance to the progressive legislation. It seems, two wrongs may make a right.

Sikhs Mobilise To Guard Gurdwara

LAHORE, July 5.

Although yesterday's pourparlers between Muslim and Sikh leaders had given rise to hopes of a settlement of the Mosque dispute, the situation in the Sisganj quarter took a distinct turn for the worse this afternoon when a Muslim crowd of between 2,000 and 3,000 after Friday prayers marched in procession to the Gurdwara.

ARMED SIKH WOMEN.

Anticipating exacerbation of feeling in view of the Friday prayers more Sikh Jathas congregated at the Gurdwara including one of 200 Sikh women armed with swords and kripans standing guard inside the Gurdwara gate together with 1,000 other male Sikhs variously armed with kripans, swords and staves. Inside the Gurdwara had the appearance of an armed camp with the door blocked by 100 fully armed Akalis.

CROWDS DRIVEN BACK.

When the Muslim crowd approached the Gurdwara, the District Magistrate ordered their dispersal and 200 police pushed the crowd back with a lathi charge to about a mile. At this stage a head-constable was seriously injured by a brick thrown at him by the crowd and a sub-Inspector of the City Kotwali received a minor hurt. A squad of armed police and 500 lathi police under officers are at present concentrated in the area and the military have been asked to stand by ready to be called at a moment's notice. The city quarters are closed and are being patrolled by the police.

Reserve police have been drafted to Lahore from six districts.—A. P.

WIDER FRANCHISE FOR UPPER HOUSE

SIMLA, July 5.

With reference to the decision of the House of Lords to introduce direct election for the Upper Chamber, final details have not yet been worked out. It is understood that provincial Governments are being immediately consulted on the point. The general direction is being given to them that the number of voters be increased three to four times with a view to making it a 100,000 in place of existing 30,000. The qualification will not be confined to property but will include other tests. It will however, be definitely lowered, compared to the existing qualification.

The exact details will be settled after receipt of the Provincial Government's opinions.—A. P.

KENYA COUNCIL WALK-OUT

Indian Members Protest Against Marketing Legislation

BOMBAY, July 5.

The Imperial Indian Citizenship Association has to-day received the following cable dated 3rd July from the Indian Members of the Kenya Legislative Council:—

"Indian Members walked out of the Council during the debate on the Marketing Bill to-day."—A. P.

FRANCO-ITALIAN MILITARY PACT?

LONDON, July 5.

Several morning papers are giving prominence to the Abyssinian dispute and declare France is unlikely to agree to any application of sanctions against Italy, because recently it signed a treaty with Italy, with a protocol attached (it is alleged) giving Italy, virtually, a free hand in Abyssinia, and declaring the France has no interest in Abyssinia outside the railway zone. The agreement, it is alleged is practically tantamount to a military pact, enabling the Franco-Italian general staffs greatly to reduce their frontier garrisons, leaving Franco-Italian frontiers almost bare, and thus freeing Italian troops for Africa.—Reuter's Special.

STOP PRESS

ACUTE SITUATION AT LAHORE.

LAHORE, July 5.

The grave view that the authorities take of the communal situation is indicated by the fact that the usual preventive machinery to avert communal rioting has been set in motion by the evening. The military has been called out to assist civil authority. Detachments of the Royal Scots, the 14th Punjab Regt. and the Sixth Armoured Car Company together with mounted and armed police and a large force of lathi police are standing by at the Kotwali, a stones throw from the Gurdwara, where more Sikhs have foregathered.

The authorities are contemplating the promulgation of Section 144.

Meanwhile armed motor squads have been ordered to patrol the city.

The District Magistrate and other high civil and military officers are staying for the night at the Kotwali.

GOVERNOR TO VISIT LAHORE.

The Governor who only returned to Simla after the Viceroy's visit this week is coming back to Lahore to-morrow when Muslim and Sikh deputations will wait on him to discuss the situation. Following last night's stabbing case, another stray assault occurred at Mochi gate this afternoon wherein a Sikh was wounded. It is feared that the Inspector who was wounded in this afternoon's lathi charge had a fractured rib.—A. P.

ARRESTS AT LAHORE.

LAHORE, July 5.

The Governor is arriving tomorrow. It is understood that a Muslim and a Sikh deputation will wait on him.

Fifteen Muslims were arrested, but later let off.—United Press.

PROSPERITY BUDGET

British Chancellor Warns Commons Against Sharp Reversals Of Policy

(Special Cable.)

LONDON, July 5.

The spirit of "reasonable optimism" as regard to the economic situation of Great Britain claimed, was justified by Mr. Neville Chamberlain moving the third reading of the Finance Bill embodying the budget proposals in the House of Commons. The Chancellor contrasted the gradual lightening of the burden of taxation in Great Britain with the position in other countries where fresh economies and fresh taxation were being contemplated.

He uttered a warning against sharp reversals of policy and rash experiments calculated to undermine public confidence. He mentioned that production in the building industry reached a record and railway traffic, bank clearings and retail trade had all steadily risen. Exports were up by 16 million sterling in the first five months of the year compared with the last year and imports of raw materials in May by 6 million more than in last May.

WITNESSES BEFORE SELECT COMMITTEES

Baldwin's Move In Commons

LONDON, July 5.

Premier Baldwin in the House of Commons has given notice of motions to approve the report of the committee on procedure relating to witnesses which was set up as a sequel to an incident during the debate on the Select Committee report and to incorporate a new proposal in the House's Standing Orders.—Reuter.

£50,000 FOR QUETTA RELIEF

India Office Demand

(Special Cable.)

LONDON, July 5.

The India Office supplementary estimate for £50,000 shows that this amount would be paid to the Government of India for the relief of distress caused by Baluchistan earthquake.

MADRAS, July 5

An Oorgaum message says that six Indians were killed and five seriously injured in a serious rockburst this morning in the Nandydroog mine 65th level Henry Shaft —A.P.

8 KILLED IN 'PLANE CRASH

Fire Fighters Battle With Blaze Caused By Burst Of Petrol Tanks

(Special Cable.)

BERLIN, July 5.

Eight persons were killed when the aeroplane which had long been carrying out experiments for the Siemens Halske Electricity undertaking, crashed on a suburban house. The petrol tanks exploded setting the block alight. Six of the dead were the crew of the machine. The other two were the occupants of the house on which it fell. Other occupants jumped from the burning buildings to safety or were rescued by ladders. The fire brigades are still at work.

NO DISSOLUTION OF TARIFF BOARD

SIMLA, July 5.

The rumour that the present Tariff Board is being dissolved is not confirmed in official quarters.

On the other hand it is pointed out that the Board's life extends up to the end of the financial year.

Changes in personnel might certainly occur especially as the President of the Board has taken up another appointment.—A. P.

WIGHTMAN CUP

Miss Dorothy Round Declines Invitation

(Special Cable)

WIMBLEDON, July 5.

Miss Dorothy Round has declined the Wightman Cup invitation as she wants rest from tennis.

Netherlands Bank Reduces Discount Rate

(Special Cable)

AMSTERDAM, July 5.

The Netherlands Bank has reduced its discount rate from 4 to 3 per cent.

WYATT INVITES M.C.C. TO NEW ZEALAND

LONDON, July 5.

Wyatt has invited the Captain of the M.C.C. team to tour New Zealand after playing in the four States of Australia during the coming winter.—Reuter's Special.

Serious Fire At Abbottabad

1,000 HOUSES DESTROYED AND THE ENTIRE INDIAN TOWN GUTTED

NATHIAGALI, July 5.

The report of a serious fire has been received here from Abbottabad. The main bazaar, including a Muslim mosque and a Hindu temple is reported to have been gutted. The fire has been raging since five o'clock this morning. Lack of adequate arrangements to bring it under control has been causing anxiety in official circles.

The Governor has just left for Abbottabad. The Inspector-General of Police left earlier.

The entire Indian business quarter within a radius of a quarter of a mile has been burnt. Clouds of smoke are visible from Kalbagh Cantonment, three miles from Nathiagali.

Abbottabad is 21 miles from here, and is the headquarters of the Hazara District, as well as of the Abbottabad Brigade.

MILITARY DRAFTED

The fire started at 5 o'clock in the morning, and spread rapidly, the wooden houses bursting like a powder-magazine. The Deputy Commissioner and the Superintendent of Police are supervising police efforts to control the fire.

The military has been drafted from the cantonment, and certain houses are being blown up; with dynamite to circumscribe the flames. The conflagration was still on at 11 o'clock, when the Governor reached the scene. The Home Member has also left for Abbottabad.

ENTIRE CITY MAY BE BURNT

Three-fourths of the Indian quarters of the city had been burnt by half past eleven. There was no possibility of controlling the conflagration owing to shortage of water.

It is feared that the entire city will be burnt, as there is no regular fire-brigade in Abbottabad, nor is there enough dynamite.

No Voter Shall Be Out Of The Electoral Register

Congress Plan For Perfect Rolls

LITERACY CAMPAIGN AMONG HARIJANS

Collector Engages 200 Men To Prepare Provisional List

(By Our Staff Correspondent)

Brisk preparations are in progress for the compilation of the Electoral Rolls of the voters of the Bombay Presidency for the Bombay Legislative Assembly to be constituted under the New Constitution.

200 Men For Job.

Bombay and the Bombay Suburban District are in no way lagging behind and the Collector of Bombay is busy giving instructions to his staff about the preparation of the rolls and nearly 200 men, specially employed for the purpose, will be going round from house to house from Monday onwards and getting the names of all those eligible to vote, registered.

Congress Propaganda

While the Governmental authorities are busy preparing the provisional voters' list, the Congress authorities in the City are not less busy encouraging eligible voters to get their names registered. The Congress have started special propaganda with a view to educate the Harijans in the City, so that they might claim their rights of voting under the New Constitution.

No Efforts Would Be Spared

In this connection, a high official of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee informed me that the Congress President, Babu Rajendra Prasad, had already stated that Congressmen should see that every citizen eligible for voting should get his name registered as a voter, without taking into consideration, for the moment, what policy the Congress would adopt in respect of the legislature.

"No effort would be spared by the Congress authorities in seeing that every individual—man or woman—who is entitled to vote, gets his or her name registered. Whether the Congress would contest the elections under the New Constitution or not is not of as great importance as of seeing that every eligible Indian exercise his right of voting under the New Constitution. The Congress President has already made a statement on the question of the preparation of provisional electoral rolls and the Congress attitude toward it" said the Congress official.

According to the new franchise there will be no less than three and a half million voters in the whole Presidency. Bombay will easily have more than five lakhs of voters, which will include nearly a lakh of women voters! The following are the qualifications for the ordinary constituencies in the Presidency:—

(a) Payment of land revenue of Rs. 8 and over.

(b) Payment of house rent of Rs. 60 in Bombay City, Rs. 30 in Karachi, and Rs. 18 in other urban areas.

(c) Assessment to income-tax.

(d) Having passed an examination for Matriculation or the School Leaving certificate, or an examination accepted by the Local Government as the equivalent thereof.

(e) Being the wife of a person possessing the property qualifications at present entitling him to a vote for the Provincial Legislative Council. One elector only to be enfranchised under a husband's property qualification in addition to the husband himself, but a woman who is once placed on the roll during widowhood or until re-marriage, when she will cease to be qualified in respect of her late husband.

(f) Being a retired, pensioned, or discharged officer, non-commissioned officer, or soldier, of His Majesty's regular forces.

(g) Scheduled caste.—In the case of the Scheduled Castes literacy and being a village servant are proposed as differential qualifications. If on the preparation of the electoral roll the electorate of the scheduled castes does not come up to 10 per cent. of their population, a reduced property qualification sufficient to make up the deficiency will be prescribed for them in addition.

GOVT. PLAN.

Mr. H. T. Sorley, the Collector of Bombay and the Bombay Suburban Districts, interviewed said that a special staff consisting of 180 enumerators had been employed for the purpose of preparing the electoral rolls under the New Constitution. About the same number had been employed for preparing the Suburban District electoral rolls. These enumerators will be distributed in the different wards of the city of Bombay and they will go from house to house collecting facts and taking down names of all those who are entitled to vote for the Bombay Legislative Assembly. These enumerators will assemble on Monday at the Town Hall, where instructions will be given to them by the Collector as to how they should go about their work.

These enumerators will be given printed forms in which they will fill up the names of all those who are eligible for voting whether men or women. The Collector of Bombay stated that it would be in the interests of the electors themselves that they should supply all the necessary information to the enumerators.

NOT MANY WOMEN.

On the basis of the Census Report, Mr. Sorley thought there would not be many women voters eligible under the general franchise as there were very few women, whose names were found on the rent receipts or who paid income-tax themselves. Even those

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An experienced L.C.P.S. for the Gariadhar Dispensary, Palitana State. Apply with testimonials, stating age, caste, previous experience and minimum salary expected before 31st July 1935 to the Chief Medical Officer, Palitana State (Kathiawar). (1320).

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Wanted. an experienced Drill Teacher. Apply to the Principal, Sheth Anandilal Podar High School, Santacruz, before the 10th inst. (1304).

Wanted Non-Matriculates and Highly Educated Persons at Rs. 50 to Rs. 100 p.m. Cash Security Rs. 100. Five years contract increment Rs. 5. Send stamped cover to Trilok Life and Fire Insurance Co., Kallar. (4475).

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the Will of Bai GAJABAI, widow of Piraji Maloo Chawan, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant ... Deceased

BALWANTRAO BHIKAJI RAKSHA, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Wadgadi, Mandvi, without the Fort of Bombay ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Witness CECIL PATRICK BLACKWELL, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 1st day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty-five, and in the twenty-sixth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

R. B. PATEL, Prothonotary and Senior Master.

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The 2nd day of July, 1935.
Messrs. HORMUSJEE M. VAKEEL & CO., Petitioner's Attorneys. 1316

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NAROTTAM MORARJEE & CO., Agents. 1317

NOTICE

My wife CHRISTOBEL GLADYS MISSO having left my protection I shall not be responsible for her actions, debts or liabilities and she has no authority to pledge my credit.

L. A. MISSO.

Bombay, 4-7-35. 4484

Legal Notices

HIGH COURT.

O. O. C. J.

Suit No. 659 of 1935.

N. H. MOOS, Esqr. .... Plaintiff.
vs.
VANMALIDAS VIRJIBHAI ..... Defendant.

The defendant abovenamed.

The Plaintiff has filed the above suit against you to recover from you Rs. 1,364|- with Interest and costs.

You are hereby summoned to appear in this Court on the 17th day of July, 1935, at eleven o'clock (S.T.) at the hearing of the above suit and take notice that in default of your appearance, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Kt., Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 26th day of April, 1935.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) TAHER ALI, For Prothonotary & Senior Master.

TAHER ALI,

The 26th day of April, 1935.
Messrs. BHAISHANKER, KANGA & GIRDHARLAL, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 1321

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

From the file of the Court of Sub-Judge at Muttra.

Civil Suit No. 19 of 1932.

Application No. 412 of 1935.

BOHRA KANHAYIALAL son of Bohra Mathuradas .... Plaintiff
vs.
(1.) GOSWAMY BALLABHLALJI MAJOR, (2) GOSWAMY BITHALALJI, minor under the guardianship of Ballabhlalji Maharaj ..... Defendants.

To,
1. GOSWAMY BALLABHLALJI, and
2. GOSWAMY BITHALLALJI, a minor by his guardian Ballabhlalji Maharaj.

The defendants abovenamed.

TAKE NOTICE that you are hereby required under O.XXI R. 22 of the Code of Civil Procedure to appear in person or by Advocate (O.S.) or attorney of this Court before the Sitting Judge in Chambers on the 12th day of July, 1935, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon to show cause why the decree pronounced against you on the 30th day of July, 1932, in the above suit should not be executed against you.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1935.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

R. B. PATEL, Prothonotary & Senior Master

A. H. KIRTIKAR,

The 13th day of June, 1935.
Messrs. DIKSHIT MANEKLAL & CO., Attorneys for Plaintiff. 1326

Legal Notices

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Re: BILL OF COSTS No. 35 of 1934.
Re: Mortgage of property at Charni Road.
GOSWAMY SHRI VALLABHLALJI RANCHODLALJI MAHARAJ
to
BHUKHANDAS PRANJIVANDAS and Anr.
Messrs. DIKSHIT MANEKLAL & CO. ..... Applicants.
and
BHUKHANDAS PRANJIVANDAS and another .... Clients and Mortgagees.
and
GOSWAMI SHRI VALLABHLALJI RANCHODLALJI MAHARAJ ..... Client and Mortgagor.

LET ALL PARTIES concerned attend the Sitting Judge in Chambers at the High Court of Bombay on the 12th day of July, 1935 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon (S.T.) on the hearing of an application on the part of the applicants abovenamed for as order:

(a) That the client and Mortgagor abovenamed do pay to the applicants abovenamed the sum of Rs. 100-0-0 being the amount of their taxed costs.
(b) That the client and Mortgagor abovenamed do pay to the applicants abovenamed their costs of and incidental to this summons and of the order to be made thereon.

Dated this 20th day of June 1935.
DIKSHIT MANEKLAL & CO., Applicants.
Prothonotary and Senior Master's Office, High Court, Bombay.
Registered
This 20th day of June, 1935.
V. K. SALUNKE.

The Chamber summons is taken out by the applicants abovenamed.

To,
GOSWAMY SHRI VALLABHLALJI RANCHODLALJI MAHARAJ, a religious preceptor and proving Executor of the Will of Goswamy Shri Ranchodlalji Jivanlalji Maharaj for himself and as Executor and in his personal capacity and as the manager of the joint and undivided Hindu family consisting of himself and his minor brother Goswami Shri Vithalnathji Ranchodlalji Maharaj the client and Mortgagor abovenamed.

N.B.—Affidavit of Sadanand Bhaskerrao Kudalkar solemnly affirmed on the 20th of June, 1935, will be used in support of this Chamber Summons. 1325.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. BALKRISHNA KESHAV PANDIT, of Bombay Hindu inhabitant has contracted to sell to my client the property described in the schedule hereunder written:—

ALL persons having any right, title, interest, claim or demand in or upon the said property or any part thereof by way of mortgage, gift, sale, use, trust, possession, inheritance, lien, maintenance, easement, incumbrance, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his Office at Mahendra Mansion, 144, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any such claim and the same if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE-REFERRED TO.

ALL that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground (the cess whereof has been redeemed) with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Dhuswady, Thakurdwar, outside the Fort and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement (317) three hundred and seventeen square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 19, New No. 129, Old survey No. 420 and New Survey No. 279, Cadastral Survey No. 2232, Bhuleshwar Division assessed by the Bombay Municipality under C Ward No. 4365, Street No. 5 and bounded, on or towards the East by the Oart of Verjiwandas Madhowdas, on or towards the West by the property of Vasudeo Ramchandra Mahimkar on or towards the North partly by the property of Narmadabai and partly by Dhuswady and on or towards the South by the Oart of Namdeo Vishwanath Zaoba and which said premises are now in the possession of the tenants of the vendor.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1935.
Mr. RAMCHANDRA T. KARNIK, Purchaser's Attorney. 1312.

Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai JAINABEE, widow of Abubakkar Sulleman of Bombay Sunni Mahomedan inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim or interest in to or upon the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease, easement, or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at New Bansilal Building, Bruce Street, Fort, Bombay or to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same (if any) will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of Pension Tax land or ground together with the trees tenements messuages and dwelling houses standing thereon situate, lying and being at Mahim Bazar Cross Road, No. 2, Mahim without the Fort in Registration District and Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 3562 square yards or thereabouts and registered under C. S. No. 857 of Mahim Division bearing Collector's Old No. 4 and 414 and Collector's New No. 3457, Old Survey No. 5192 and 103 and New Survey No. part of A 62 and Collector's current Rent Roll No. 621 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Taxes in G Ward No. 5500, Street Nos. 53-53A Ward No. 5020 Street No. 343 Ward No. 5021 (1A), Street No. 349 A. A. Ward No. 5021 (4) Street No. 349 C and Ward No. 5504 Street Nos. 45-45B and bounded, on or towards the East by the property of Vithaldas Karsondas, on or towards the West by the aforesaid Mahim Bazar Cross Road No. 2, on or towards the North by the property of Keshavji Madhavji and on or towards the South partly by the property of Purshotam Naranji and partly by the property of Sadashiv Ramchandra and others and partly by the property of Kini.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1935.
KHARAS & CO., Purchaser's Attorneys. 1319

Auction Sales

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES, situate at the Junction of Nowroji Road and Koli 2nd Lane, at Lower Colaba

Under instructions from the Court Receiver, Bombay, as the Receiver appointed in Suit No. 605 of 1927 (Harischandra Bhanji Medhekar and another vs. Narayan Vishwanath Medhekar and others) pursuant to the Consent Decree dated the 23rd August, 1933 passed in the said Suit, Messrs. BENNETT & CO. will sell by Public Auction the undermentioned properties on the respective premises on the date mentioned below:—

LOT NO. 1.—On MONDAY the 22nd July, 1935 at 4-30 p.m. (S T.) on the premises:—

ALL that Government newly assessed land with dwelling-house situate at Lower Colaba, at the junction of Nowroji Road and Koli 2nd Lane, admeasuring about 49 sq. yards, and assessed by the Municipality under New Street Nos. 19-21 and 20, and bounded on the East by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property described in Lot No. 2, on the West by Koli 2nd Lane, on the South by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Sunderdas Pitamber, and on the North by Nowroji Road.

On MONDAY, the 22nd July, 1935, at 5 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises:—

All that Government newly assessed land with dwelling house situate at Lower Colaba, Nowroji Road, admeasuring about 74 sq. yards, and assessed by the Municipality under New Street Nos. 15, 17 & 17A and bounded on the East by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Saraswatibai, widow, on the West by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property described in Lot No. 1, on the North by Nowroji Road, and on the South by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the house of Sunderdas Pitamber.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Divekar & Co., Attorneys for the Court Receiver at No. 14, Hammam Street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

BENNETT & CO.

Legal Notices

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 2187 of 1933.

KANTILAL NAGINDAS and Others ..... Plaintiffs.
Versus
BABOO SATHARAYAN JUGDISHNARAYAN ... Defendant.

PURSUANT to Decree Absolute for sale, dated 27th November, 1934, the following immovable properties will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on WEDNESDAY, 10th July, 1935, at 3 P.M. (S.T.)

(1) Vacant lands at Balkumbh in Thana District bearing the following Survey Numbers 136, 137, 139, 304, 305, 306, 308, 309, 310, 311, 316, 315, 317, 277, 204, 62, 61, 314, 132, 133, 135, 304, 308, and 209, admeasuring in aggregate about 22 Acres and 11-3/4 Gunthas, 8 Acres and 4-1/2 Gunthas and 1 Acre and 6-1/4 Gunthas respectively.

(2) House admeasuring about 30 cubits and 2 out-houses admeasuring about 20 and 15 cubits respectively standing on Survey No. 132.

(3) A Pacca built well on Survey No. 135 together with the Persian wheel and other accessories and together with graft and val Mange and other trees and shrubs.

(4) One plot of gavthan land adjoining the Village of Pada Bhakoli and bounded on the East by Gavthan land of Dharma Rama, on the West and North by vacant plots of Government gavthan land and on the South by houses of the villagers and another plot of Gavthan land admeasuring about 12 cubits and bounded, on the East by the house of Hasha Barik Shelka, on the West by the Gavthan land, on the South by the house of Ladki Budhya and on the North by the Gavthan land of Dharma Rama Bhoir.

(5) ..... Land at Chitalsar Manpada in Thana District, bearing Survey Numbers as follows:

Survey Nos. 25, 44, 32, 44, 43, 33, 45, 34, 25, 44, 46, 31, 46, 33, 42, 32, 46, 34, 10, 12, 13, 33, 43, 42, 13, 24, 13, 14, 23, 24, admeasuring in aggregate about 13 acres and 6-3/4 Gunthas.

(6) The following properties situate at Chendani in Thana.

(a) House, bearing Municipal No. 2 and Survey No. 110, admeasuring about 42 by 16ft., standing on the land, admeasuring about 155 sqr. yds. together with trees and shrubs thereon.
(b) House, bearing Municipal No. 170 and Survey No. 106 admeasuring about 29 by 34ft., standing on the land, admeasuring about 133 square yards.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. MANCHERSHAW B. CHOTHIA AND COY., Attorneys for the Plaintiffs abovenamed at No. 14, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1935.
(Sd.) G. R. KHAIRAT, Commissioner. 1314.

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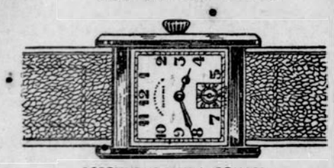

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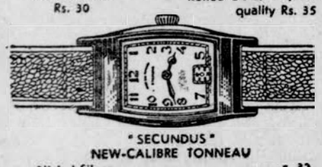

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BILL COLLECTOR ARRESTED

Employer Accuses Him Of Misappropriating Rs. 800

BOMBAY, Friday.

On a charge of criminal breach of trust of Rs. 800 as a bill collector, one Mahommad Hussein Alladin was arrested early this morning by the Pydhoni police.

The accused was in the employ of Hussein Sayad of Chakla Street who had lodged a complaint with the police that the accused after collecting certain bills misappropriated the amount of Rs. 800.

He was placed before Mr. I. S. Haji at the Mazgaon Court to-day and was ordered to be bailed out in the sum of Rs. 1,500 for a fortnight.

ALLEGED DEFAMATION

Printer Of Wadilal's Letter To Mr. Horniman Tenders Unconditional Apology

BOMBAY, Friday.

The case in which Wadilal Mohanlal Shah and M. C. Lele, keeper of the Vikram Printing Press were charged with publishing and aiding and abetting the publication of a handbill defaming and insulting Mr. Horniman was called on before the Chief Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Court to-day.

Mr. Chelshanker Vyas, B.A., LL.B. Advocate for Mr. Horniman, informed the Court that the 2nd accused, Lele, had submitted in writing an unconditional apology for and retractation of the libel contained in the handbill to Mr. Horniman.

The second accused was, therefore, discharged from the case which was marked as compounded by the Magistrate as far as he is concerned.

The charge against Wadilal will be taken up on Aug 28.

CHARGE OF EXTORTION

In the case in which Mr. Horniman has charged Wadilal Mohanlal Shah with attempted extortion, the notice was converted by the Magistrate into a summons.

Mr. Vyas appearing for the complainant stated that the accused was until recently casually employed as an informant by him.

On May 19, at about 3 p.m. the accused went to the residence of Mr. Horniman and threatened to publish a defamatory libel concerning him in the form of handbills unless accused was paid a sum of Rs. 300. He also created a disturbance and refused to leave the house when asked to do so and he had to be forcibly ejected by Mr. Horniman.

On May 23, the accused published an open letter in the form of printed handbills and had them circulated widely amongst the public in various parts of the city. He also sent to Mr. Horniman one of those handbills by registered post.

Mr. Horniman had charged the accused with defamation in respect of the handbill.

The Magistrate, after hearing the accused, who appeared in person to show cause, converted the notice into a summons.

Recently special measures have been adopted by the Jamnagar and Dwarka Railway administration to increase the transport facilities to Cutch and step in this direction is the introduction of the through booking of parcels to Cutch.

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SPECIAL TRAINS TO PANDHARPUR

C. I. P. Ry. Traffic Manager Asked To Alter Timings To Suit Pilgrims

Mr. V. Narayan has addressed the following letter to the Deputy Traffic Manager, G. I. P. Railway, Victoria Terminus, Bombay, regarding Special Concession for "Pandharpur Fair:—

In continuation of my letter of 1st instant, I have to make one more important suggestion with regard to the Special Train to be run from Bombay on Wednesday, 10th instant.

The said train is scheduled to commence its return journey from Pandharpur on Wednesday, 17th instant. During the course of my inquiries, it was revealed that the pilgrims are very reluctant to leave the shrine on that particular day on reasons of religious-belief.

I was not prepared to accept this version at its face-value and desired to obtain some authentic opinion on this issue. A disciple of His Holiness Gadge Maharaj, a permanent resident of Pandharpur now in Bombay, was taken advantage of and interviewed on Tuesday last. He confirmed the version of the pilgrims and emphatically asserted that the pilgrims under no circumstances would leave Pandharpur on the said day.

Alter Timings

I have therefore, to request you to effect the necessary alteration in connection with the Special Train of the 10th instant. It will be indeed, desirable to schedule this train from Pandharpur on Tuesday, 16th instant and preferably after 8 p.m.

Should this modification be not effected, I fear, the Special Train will have to run almost empty from Pandharpur or that the pilgrims will have to give up the idea of taking advantage of the said Special and will have recourse the ordinary trains. In case the former procedure is not followed, the pilgrims will be over burdened with an additional expense of an extra ticket from Pandharpur to Bombay.

Changes Suggested.

With this necessary alteration, the Three Specials will have to be run as under:—

1st Special leaving V. T. on 9-7-35—Returning from Pandharpur on 16-7-35.

2nd Special leaving V. T. on 10-7-35—Returning from Pandharpur on 18-7-35.

3rd Special leaving V. T. on 11-7-35—Returning from Pandharpur on 23-7-35.

I may again refer to the running of the 1st Special which is necessary while the alternation in the departure-timing of the 2nd Special is absolutely essential.

My discussions with the pilgrims over this question were carried in the presence of your representative, Mr. Mule who, I hope, will bear me out.

I hope you will be good enough to give this suggestion your serious consideration.

SOLD IRISH SWEEP TICKETS

Bench Impose £2 Fine On Well-known Cricketer

"The chances of winning anything in the Irish Sweep are about equal to catching a postage stamp dropped from an aeroplane above a Wembley Cup Final crowd," declared Mr. G. H. Bailey, who appeared at Woking the other day to represent the Hon. F. S. Gough-Calthorpe, of Worplesdon, the well-known cricketer, in connection with a summons for selling Irish Sweepstake tickets.

Police evidence was that when interviewed Mr. Calthorpe stated he had received the tickets from a man in Cumberland. Four books of tickets were sold among his friends, and the others had been burned. He was not conversant with the new Act forbidding the sale of sweepstake tickets. The Cumberland man had been proceeded against for distributing tickets wholesale.

Mr. Bailey pleaded that the offence was only a technical one. Mr. Calthorpe had not sold the tickets for profit.

The chairman remarked that it was difficult to accept the view that anybody with any degree of education could really be unaware of the passing of the Act in question. He fined Mr. Calthorpe £2.

A meeting of Sholapur Dist., Congress Working Committee will be held at Kurduwadi, in Raya Malhirajee's house, at about 3 p.m., on 7-7-35, to consider the following subjects:—(1) Rajendra Babu's fund. (2) to enrol Congress members. (3) Amal Bajawani of Shramwargani.

BURGLARY IN CHURCH

Silver Crosses And Chalice Stolen From Holy Cross Church

(From Our Correspondent.)

KURLA, July 5.

A daring burglary is reported to have been committed last night at Kurla in the Holy Cross Church which is closed since the Ag: Vicar retired in March last.

Two silver crosses and a chalice, collectively valued at Rs. 250.-, are alleged to have been stolen by a culprit, who is said to have effected his entry through a window by breaking it open.

None is arrested so far. Sub-Inspector Shaikh Abdul Hakim of Kurla Police is investigating.

FOR RELIEF OF 'QUAKE VICTIMS

Lady Volunteers Make Collections In Bombay

In response to the appeal made by the Bombay Quetta Earthquake Relief Committee, the city observed yesterday as the "Quetta Collection Day."

One hundred members of the Gandhi Seva and lady volunteers led by Miss Sofia Somji went about the city making collections. "Box" collections closed last evening, while collections through the sale of one-rupee coupons, which are intended mainly for office people, will continue for a week.

ALLEGED ABDUCTION OF MINOR GIRL

Father Withdraws Allegations Against Pathan

(From Our Correspondent.)

THANA, July 3.

On the application filed by Mr. W. P. Oka, Advocate for Mr. Chintaman Ramkrishna Sathe, requesting to immediately set at liberty his 13-year-old daughter Annie or to give her in his custody, Khan Bahadur Shaikh Yakoob Vazier Mahomed, District Magistrate of Thana, has ordered notices to be issued against R. Bheem alias Richard and Abdul Rahim Sammad Pathan, two motor drivers of Shahpur, to appear before the Court with the applicant's daughter.

The applicant, who is a Christian resident of Kalyan, alleges, that R. Bheem lured him and his two daughters to Shahpur by promising to secure a job for the applicant. Accordingly the applicant rented a room and resided there for about a month. Thereafter the applicant and his youngest daughter Mary were compelled to leave the place by R. Bheem, who did not allow Annie, the eldest daughter, to accompany the applicant.

It is further alleged that the girl is wrongfully detained in the house of Abdul Rahim Pathan, an accomplice.

PATHAN DISCHARGED.

When an inquiry was made Abdul Sammad Pathan, the second respondent, who appeared in person in the District Magistrate's Court, was ordered to be discharged by the Court on the applicant Mr. Chintaman Ramkrishna Sathe, father of the girl, withdrawing allegations of wrongful detention against him.

To trace the whereabouts of R. Bheem 'alias' Richard, the first respondent, alleged to have been absconding with the girl having not been served with notice calling upon him to produce the girl, the applicant's pleader asked for one week's time, which was granted by the Magistrate.

LEANED OUT OF RUNNING TRAIN.

Unknown Hindu's Dead Body Found On Rly. Lines

Bombay, Tuesday

That he found a tuft of hair, streaked with blood, stuck up against a pillar at Kennedy Bridge, soon after a train passed out of sight in the direction of Charni Road, was the evidence given by a gateman, to-day, at the inquest held on the body of an unknown Hindu male, found dead on the railway line, on Wednesday.

The Coroner recorded a verdict of "accidental" death, adding a rider that the passenger might have leaned out of the window and, in doing so, his head might have dashed against a pillar at the Kennedy Bridge.

A Ramnad message says an armed gang of forty men are reported to have plundered a caravan of 24 carts returning home from a fair near Paramakudi. Thirteen persons including women who were in the carts were beaten and their belongings valued at Rs. 3,000 looted.

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FILM FARE FOR THIS WEEK

TWO NEW FILMS OF GREAT INTEREST

"Little Minister" At The Wellington
"Cardinal Richelieu" At The Capitol

Usha Devi in "Usha" At the Majestic.

"SHADOW OF DOUBT"

At The Regal

Romance set in a tense detective mystery, and a new and intriguing screen detective character to delight fans mark the production of "Shadow of Doubt" Arthur Somers Roche's amazing mystery story, produced by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and now showing from to-day at the Regal Theatre. The story deals with a screen star and her lover menaced by suspicion in a strange murder case, and a wealthy woman recluse who emerges from her hiding place of years, turns detective, and solves the puzzle. The author of "Penthouse" has provided one of the literary sensations of the day in the story which recently was published in Collier's Magazine. Until the final scene practically every character is under suspicion. Virginia Bruce blonde beauty of "The Mighty Barnum" and "Society Doctor" scores a new triumph in her advance toward stardom. As Trenna Plaice, actress heroine of the picture she provides some splendid dramatic acting. Ricardo Cortez as her romantic lover is equally effective. The strange recluse detective is compellingly played by Constance Collier famous English stage star in her first talking screen role, while a notable cast includes Isabel Jeans, Arthur Byron, Betty Furness, Regis Toomey, Ivan Simpson, Bradley Page, Edward Brophy and others. George Zeitz, who directed "Society Doctor" did a clever piece of directorial work with the new picture, sustaining the suspense and bringing out the romance, the glimpses of night life, the musical interlude in the spectacular night club, and other engaging details of story.

MARATHI "USHA"

At The Majestic

It will please our Marathi-knowing readers to learn that Usha, Shalini Cinetone's Marathi musical mythological, is being released at the Majestic Talkies today. The picture is directed by Mr. Baburao Painter the famous Director and Cine-artist whose name is well associated with Indian film industry since its inception in this country. With an outstanding set of artistes like Ushadevi, Ratnaprabha, K. Wasudeo and Dudhale, Mr. Baburao Painter has made best of the material available. Mr. Govindrao Tembe, the renowned musician has given charming tunes.

KATHERINE HEPBURN-AT THE WELLINGTON

Sir James Barrie's Famous Story "The Little Minister"

Ever since Maude Adams humanized the loveable character of Babbie in Sir James Barrie's never-to-be-forgotten story and play, "The Little Minister", this quaint document has endeared itself to theatre-goers everywhere and so will it be in Bombay, when this super production is being screened at the Wellington this week.

And now Katherine Hepburn has made a splendid interpretation of the story as her new starring vehicle for RKO-Radio.

Hollywood's lavish resources have been drawn upon to the limit in regard to production, cast detail, intimate touches, backgrounds, color, romance and interpretations.

There is the appealing romance of the little pastor, Gavin Dishart for Babbie—a romance that tugs at the heart and endears a fine sentiment enchanting to the beholder.

Babbie returns this love with all the nature of her sex—and to the love Hepburn is said to give a depth of tenderness and spirit which even she has never before revealed.

Sir James M. Barrie is a keen, penetrating, though whimsical, writer. He knows the feminine soul and his Babbie is the eternal Eve that he painted her and Miss Hepburn is the ideal actress to portray his heroine most vividly.

The spectator instantly responds to her naive net of intrigue which she weaves around the serious-minded Gavin and mischievously delights in watching him endeavour to break this romantic yoke.

Everyone's sympathy also glows at the attempts of the simple village weavers to break their industrial bondage. And when Babbie takes Gavin to the hilltop and persuades him to blow the horn, warning the countryside of the approach of the soldiers, one finds the incident not only highly dramatic, but appealing.

Compact with human touches, this RKO-Radio picture is embroidered with countless details of Babbie's charm, and the whole story is played against a background charged with life in the quaint and colorful Scottish town of Thrums.

Katherine Hepburn makes Babbie a delightful study of piquant and persuasive arts. John Beal plays the role of the "The Little Minister" with fine authority and lends the part a quaint pathos. Alan Hale is properly featured as Rob Dow the village ruffian. The sensitive hand of Director Richard Wallace was all that was needed to give the picture the final touch it needed and to weld together the performance of the star and the large and splendid supporting cast.

"Gold Diggers of 1935" Shown at the Pathe from To-day.

"GOLD DIGGERS OF 1935" (PATHE) ---"SHADOW OF DOUBT" (CAPITOL)

Katherine Hepburn in "Little Minister" at the Wellington.

"AH-E-MAZLUMAN"

Second Week At The Swastik

In "Ah-E-Mazluman" or "Wailing of the Oppressed" the famous New Tonfilm productions of Calcutta have turned out a magnificent Urdu Masterpiece, which is made on the most ambitious scale ever attempted in this country, and therefore it is no wonder that it attracted enormous crowds of all classes of film fans at every show during its first week and from to-day it enters into its triumphant second successful week.

The dramatic and absorbing story of this great picture is centred around a brilliant Barrister's ups and downs and the acute sufferings of his poor, unfortunate family who is rendered penniless when he in moment of madness falls an easy prey to the wiles of a wicked woman and squanders all his money after her, his devoted and faithful wife at last finds eternal peace and on end to all her sufferings when nature itself shows all its fury in a terrible earthquake which is followed by a devastating flood, these awe inspiring scenes are so realistic that they make one thunderstruck.

The principal roles are ably handled by such talented stars as Miss Indubala, Abdullah Kabuli, Azmat Bibi, and five year old baby Roshanara.

There are seventeen sweet song hits, enchanting back ground music and lavish dance ensembles to please the greediest of the greedy filmgoers.

The complete film record of the most terrible tragedy of modern times, the Quetta Quake, produced with special permission by Imperial Film Co., of Bombay, is also continued at Swastik by popular demand.

THE FIRST WORLD WAR

At The Palace

"The First World War", the enthralling screen production created by Fox Film Corp., from the secret archives of all the great nations, which comes to The Palace for the current week, has as its source and inspiration the volume of the same title edited by Laurence Stallings. Its producers have expressed the hope that the picture, like the book will serve to reveal the real meaning of war to every man, woman and child who sees it.

The picture reveals humanity in the midst of desolation,—fighting against life for the sake of life—wresting empty glories on thundering fields,—and each of its episodes is authentic.

The most thrilling and breathtaking shots ever made in the heat of battle, either on land or sea, are said to be included in the picture. Close-up shots of hand-to-hand trench warfares are varied with enthralling airplane sequences, showing in details the critical conflicts of the World War.

"RIN-TIN-TIN"

At The Edward

The first instalment of the above Mascot Master Serial, which is to be completed in the course of two weeks, is the attraction at Edward for the current week. A marked characteristic of this thrilling mystery serial is that it starrs a wonderfully trained dog named Rinty, who gives an amazing performance in it. Never before in the history of the screen have we seen a dog-actor possessing such almost human-like capacities and intelligence and who gives such a realistic performance of his role.

Besides, Rinty, Frankie Darro, Georgia Hale and George Brent head a brilliant cast of actors. The story concerns certain white settlers of Kern River Canyon in West America, who live in constant terror of a two-fold danger: the Indians and a mysterious creature whom they know only as the 'Wolf man'. The attempts at detecting the latter lead to many complicated situations. Several murders under mysterious circumstances follow, including that of Scot, the dog's master. The story progresses rapidly through the most amazing drama that has yet been but into a serial.

"GOLD DIGGERS OF 1935"

At The Pathe

"Gold Diggers of 1935", First National's latest mammoth musical spectacle, opens at the Pathe Theatre to-day.

The picture is said to carry more unique and unusual numbers, greater song hits and more hilarious fun than any other musical produced by this company. Busby Berkeley, musical comedy genius, not only created and staged the numbers, but directed the entire picture.

The story by Robert Lord and Peter Milne is a rollicking comedy with three separate love tangles. There is a play within the play a wealthy widow producing a milk fund show at a swanky summer hotel.

Dick Powell and Gloria Stuart have the romantic leads, with Frank McHugh and Dorothy Dare in a semi-comic love affair and Glenda Farell taking an eccentric millionaire over the jumps. Alice Brady has the role of the rich widow who is bilked of a considerable fortune by a theatrical producer, a part played by Adolphe Menjou, Joseph Cawthorn in the role of a scenic and costume artist and the hotel manager, Grant Mitchell.

Winifred Shaw, the former musical comedy stage star, sings in the show. Dick Powell also sings catchy airs which were written by the famous song team of Warren and Dubin.

In addition to the regular cast, Ramon and Rosita, dancers, and 300 beautiful girls appear in the dance numbers. The screen play is by Manuel Seff and Peter Milne.

"SHAHI-LUTERA"

At The Globe Talkies

The glamour of Arabian Nights tales and suspense that is the story-teller's achievement, will be found thrilling sage of a Prince who became a robber-chieftain to save and befriend his people. This thrilling drama—"Shahi-Lutera"—now comes to Globe Talkies. There are famous stage and screen personalities that make up its brilliant cast a good reason for seeing the picture—Master Ashraf Khan, Mr. Abdul Rahiman Kabuli, supported by Amina, Kamalabai, Sadikalishah, Mumtaz. Besides there are dances by Azuri. In fact "Shahi-Lutera" which is released at Globe Talkies from this Saturday is good entertainment.

Miss Indira in "Al-Hilal" At The Imperial

"CARDINAL RICHELIEU"

At The Capitol

History books tell us that the great Louis XIII was responsible for the remark "L'etat c'est moi", Hollywood brilliantly proves that no one had more right to it than the Mighty Cardinal who showed all France that to be kind one had to be cruel.

George Arliss is magnificent as the Cardinal; every word, every gesture that careless flick of the wrist each tell a story—he does not act, he lives his part and that common accusation against this actor that whether as Rothschild, Disraeli or Wellington, you see only Arliss before you is proved utterly false. Here he is Richelieu from start to finish, the most hated man in 17th century France; greedy jackals tore at his power, the populace clamoured for his head, conspiring noblemen threatened his regal throne yet his wisdom his understing was such that he could halt his empire building that a wisp of a girl might marry the man of her choice. In face of million threats, he ploughed boldly on, playing king against queen, lover against sweetheart, the world against humanity—stopping at nothing that his country and his God might be served. The last scene is positively impressive, deserted by all, surrounded by his enemies, their swords drawn out of their scabbards, he deprives them all in the name of God greater than any other earthly power. A film in a million and one you must see.

"COLLEGE GIRL"

At The West End

Inspite of the heavy rain this picture has entered a crowded sixth week. It has been acclaimed as a box-office success. Miss Madhuri has well personified the college girl.

Shadow of Doubt" at the Regal.

City And Suburbs

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS

To-day

Hindu: Ashad Shud 6, 1991
Muslim: Rabi-ul-Akhar 4, 1354
Parsi: Behman 3, 1304
Sunrise: 6h 7m
Sunset: 7h 20m
High Tide: 2-49 15-10
Low Tide: 8-28 21-37

MATUNGA ARYA SAMAJ

At the Matunga Arya Samaj Mandir, Swami Omkar Satchitanandji will deliver a public lecture on "The Religious Unity" to-day (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.).

TEACHERS' COMPANIONS

Under the auspices of the Dalton Training Institute, Prof. A. M. Modi and Mr. P. R. Rao will speak on "Teachers' Companions" to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) in the Bombay Education League's High School, 318-A Thakurdwar. Prof. S. U. Shukla will preside.

ISMAILIA STUDENTS' EDUCATION SOCIETY

The annual general meeting of the Ismailia Students' Education Society will be held to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. in the hall of the Society, Ismail House Nishanpada Road, Dongri, Bombay 9.

DEBATE AT BLAVATSKY LODGE HALL

A debate will be held at Blavatsky Lodge, French Bridge, to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) on the subject: "Morality Has No Basis in Religion."

"LECTURES ON QURAN"

Under the auspices of the Quarannic Society, Md. Shamsuzzamankhan Saheb and Janab Md. Ebrahim Saheb will deliver public lectures on "Quran" in Urdu at (1) Shanti Bhuvan, Kohinoor Road, near Dadar, (G. I. P.) from 10 to 12 a.m. (S.T.). (2) In Anjuman-e-Islam premises, opposite Victoria Terminus from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. (S.T.).

UNIVERSAL ARTS LEAGUE

A Musical Soire'e of the above League will be held at the Youth Lodge, Blavatsky Lodge, French Bridge, Chowpatty to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) when Mr. B. K. Ghose will entertain the audience with "Songs of Tagore." Mrs. Sunalini Devi Rajam will preside.

G. I. P. RAILWAY ACCOUNTS STAFF UNION

The sixth annual general meeting of the Union will be held to-day (Saturday) in the office of the Chief Accounts Officer, G. I. P. Railway, V. T., Annexe, at 3 p.m. (S.T.) Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta, Bar-at-Law, will preside.

INDIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The following are the fixtures in the Indian Football League for this weekend:—

To-day (Saturday) at 4-45 p.m. Bombay City v. Bengal Club and 5-45 p.m. Havero F. C. v. G. S. Medical College.

To-morrow (Sunday) Portuguese Association v. Portuguese Heroes and King's Circle v. Mahim Sports.

DAILY AMUSEMENTS

REGAL—"Shadow of Doubt." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 4 p.m.
CAPITOL—"Cardinal Richelieu." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 4 p.m.
PATHE—"Gold Diggers of 1935". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m. Sunday morning show at 10 a.m.
WELLINGTON—"The Little Minister" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 3-30 p.m.
WEST END—"College Girl." Time as usual.
GLOBE—"Shahi Lutera". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 2-45 p.m.
MINERVA—"Karwan-e-Husn" or "Beauty Caravan". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 3 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Bharat-ki-Beti". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 3 p.m.
IMPERIAL—"Judgment of Allah." Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 2-45 p.m.
EDWARD—"Rin-Tin-Tin" and "Lightning Warrior". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m. Sunday morning at 10 a.m.
MAJESTIC—Marathi "Usha". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, Saturday and Sunday at 2-30 p.m.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

12 noon. Time signal. Selection of Indian music. 1 p.m. Available market rates. European Lunch Hour Selections. 4-30 p.m. Children's Hour. 5 p.m. Auntie Ella and Uncle Dick. 5-30 p.m. European programme. A relay of music from Regal Cinema. 7 p.m. Indian programme. Lagna Geet. 7-30 p.m. European programme. The 'Request' Hour. A programme compiled from Listerners' Requests. 8-15 p.m. Weather Report and News Bulletin. 8-30 p.m. Indian Programme. General news in Hindi and Commercial News. 9 p.m. Time signal. From 9-30 to 10-30 p.m. Musical concert. By Aflabe Museki Khansaheb Fatyakhan of Baroda. Accompanied by Abdul Majid Khan, Sarangi. Dinkarrao Ammembal, Harmonium. Kamoo, Tabla. Close down.

Empire Broadcasting

7-45 p.m. Big Ben. Harold Ramsay, at the organ of Granada, Tooting. 8-0 p.m. A running commentary by Col. Brand and Captain H. B. T. Wakelam on the Championship Tennis Matches. Relayed from Wimbledon. 9-45 p.m. Dance music. 10 p.m. The News. 10-15 p.m. Dance music. 10-30 p.m. Close down.

GANDHARVA MAHA VIDYALAYA

The 30th fortnightly music demonstration of the Gandharva Maha Vidyalaya will be held to-day (Saturday) at 9 p.m. (S.T.) in the Vidyalaya.

POSTAL NOTICE

Mails for Australia per s.s. 'Oronsay' via Dhanushkodi and Colombo will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 6-30 p.m. on Tuesday the 9th instant.

SHRI SHARDA SANGIT VIDYALAYA

There will be a music concert in the Gayan Hall of the Shri Sharda Sangit Vidyalaya (Suratwala Building, Charni Road, Girgaum) to-day (Saturday) at 4 p.m. for ladies only.

The programme consists of vocal music by Satyabhhamabai Gadgil and Miss Indira Phatak.

"Ah-E-Muzluman" Seen At Swastik

CASE AGAINST SCINDIA DIRECTORS

Magistrate Warns The Complainant

Lively interludes marked the proceedings of the case in which Mr. Walchand Hirachand, director of the Scindia Steam Navigation Co. and five others, are charged by Ardeshir R. Subedar, with having made alleged false statements in a report of the company when it came up for hearing before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, on Friday.

Mr. K. M. Munshi, appearing for the accused drew the attention of the court at the very outset, to a letter stated to have been written by the complainant to Sir Shapoorji Billimoria, asking him not to tender evidence in the case. Characterising the letter as a most abusive and improper one, Mr. Munshi said that he wanted that letter to be recorded by the court.

While Mr. Munshi was addressing the court, he was interrupted by the complainant who started speaking with him. The magistrate asked the complainant to keep quiet and warned him that he would be turned out, if he acted otherwise.

PICKWICK PAPERS!

Mr. Munshi then proceeded to read the letter. The magistrate asked him if he understood what the letter meant.

Mr. Munshi: It is difficult to understand the letter, your worship. It reminds me of a letter in Pickwick Papers. (Laughter).

MAGISTRATE'S WARNING

At this stage, the complainant, who was represented by his own counsel, started addressing the court. "If there is any defamation "he said in a loud tone," in the letter. I demand prosecution by the other side."

Magistrate: You must keep quiet, or else, I will have to turn you out.

Mr. M.M. Thakore, who appeared on behalf of the complainant objected to the letter being recorded, on the ground that it was not relevant to the case.

Magistrate: I think it is a most improper letter to write to a witness. I do not see why a letter of this kind should not be filed. Supposing I want to report to the High court to take action against the complainant for contempt of court, then I must have it on file.

The letter was then filed.

Sir Shapoorji's letter asking the court's permission to grant him facilities to examine the books of accounts, etc. which were produced in court, and expressing his inability to appear in court till the end of August, was next produced before the court.

When this letter was being discussed, the complainant again interposed and commenced addressing the court.

The Magistrate cut him short and told him not to speak, as he was represented by a counsel.

Complainant: I have also a right to address the court.

Magistrate: I do not want to hear you when you are represented by a counsel.

Mr. Munshi: You can't have both (Laughter).

Further hearing was adjourned till August 30.

GAUDIYA MATH

Under the auspices of Paramahansa Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Goswami Maharaj, the President-Acharyya of Gaudiya Mission, the installation ceremony of a very beautiful pair of Shri Radha-Govinda Murtes will take place on the 8th instant (Monday) at the Math premises of Gaudiya Math, Proctor Road, Chotani Building, Bungalow No. 1, (near Congress House). The Swamiji will explain Srimad Bhagavatam in the morning and evening. All invited guests will be treated to Mahaprasadam on the 8th and 9th.

MENAKA LEAVES FOR GUJARAT TOUR

Menaka the celebrated dancer who returned recently from her Far-Eastern tour will leave next week for her Gujarat tour prior to her departure to Europe.

YOUNG MEN'S HINDU ASSOCIATION

Under the auspices of Young Men's Hindu Association Mr. S. G. Warty, will deliver a public lecture in the premises of the Association, Girgaum Back Road, to-day (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. on "Middle Class Unemployment Among Hindus". Mr. M. N. Talpade will preside.

SCHOOL OF INDIAN MUSIC

The weekly public concert of the school will be held to-day (Saturday) at 5-30 p.m. in the School Hall, Benham Hall Lane, Girgaum.

ADULT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Professor C. Fernandes will meet his students in Political Institutions (Modern Constitutions) to-day (Saturday) at 5-15 in the South Wing, University Buildings.

RELIGIOUS DISCOURSES

Swami Vishwanauda of Ramakrishna Math, will conduct the weekly public class at the Batliboi's Institute on Saturday the 6th instant at 3-30 p.m. and at the Math on Sunday at 9 a.m.

BANK OF BARODA, LTD.

The net profit of the Bank of Baroda Ltd., for the half year, ended 30th June 1935, subject to audit, including the sum of Rs. 78,427-2-6 brought forward amounts to Rs. 2,75,090-11-8.

The Directors have resolved to declare an ad-interim dividend at the rate of 10 per cent p.a. free of Income Tax on the paid up capital which will absorb Rs. 1,50,000 and to carry forward the balance of Rs. 1,25,090-11-8 to the next account.

In And Around Bombay

(From Our Staff Correspondent)

B. Ward Election

Two hours after the judgment of Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia regarding the question of co-option of a member, the Bombay Municipal Corporation met and decided by a majority of 54 to 14, to go in appeal against that decision. But the point made out by the speaker from the minority group, who held that there was no necessity of going in appeal, was that the Corporation was not defending its rights or privileges, which were sought to be curtailed by any outside public body. The main issue in question was whether the Corporation should have the right of co-option of a member, specially in this instance or whether it should be left to the "B" Ward electorate to elect a representative. If the Corporation went in appeal against the decision of Mr. Justice Wadia, it clearly meant that they were against the election of a member by the electorate. It was felt by the minority, many of whom were Congressmen, that the decision of Justice Wadia should be taken as final and a Bye-election be held. One feels that there is a great deal of sense in the argument put forth by the minority. Firstly, an appeal would be expensive and, secondly, going in appeal would mean that the Corporation would be questioning the right of the electorate to elect their representative.

Drashti

This magazine continues to make steady progress and the fare provided by Mr. Vakil every month is invariably varied and interesting. The present issue opens with a thought-provoking Editorial in which the editor puts forward a strong plea for "clear, concerted, constructive thinking." One may not agree—and many will not—with his charge that national postulates of reconstruction have been eluded by the Indian National Congress, but everyone will agree with him that we have arrived at a stage when we should do away with the futile and endless debates and discussions, eliminate reckless individualism and divert our resources and energies to the task of national reconstruction.

Among other interesting articles is one about the development of German Cities and another on irrigation and Electricity in U. P. by Sir William Stampe. And Mr. Kanaiyalal Vakil contributes a well-written review of Mirsky's "Intelligentsia of Great Britain" in the course of which he also discusses the intelligentsia of India.

A feature of this month's "Drashti" is "The Nation's Mind" —a collection of interesting—and sometimes amusing—extracts from the columns of the Indian Press and pronouncements of the Indian leaders.

LORRY DRIVER SENTENCED

Sequel To Charge Of Rash Driving

A motor lorry crossing the path of the car of a Police Superintendent, who had to jam his brakes to avert what would have been a serious accident had a sequel in the Dadar Police Court, before Mr. M. A. F. Coelho, Presidency Magistrate, on Friday, when Dawoodkhan Bechakhan, the driver of the lorry was found guilty of rash driving and was fined Rs. 25.

ACCIDENT AVERTED.

It was stated for the prosecution that on April 5, last Superintendent Rao Saheb Nyampalli of the "E" Division was driving along the Suparibaug Road towards Lal Baug from Poibawdi, on the correct side of the Road. At the Currey Road junction, a motor lorry driven by the accused shot forth into the Government Gate Road from the west almost causing an accident. Superintendent Rao Saheb Nyampalli had to jam his brakes and his presence of mind averted a disaster.

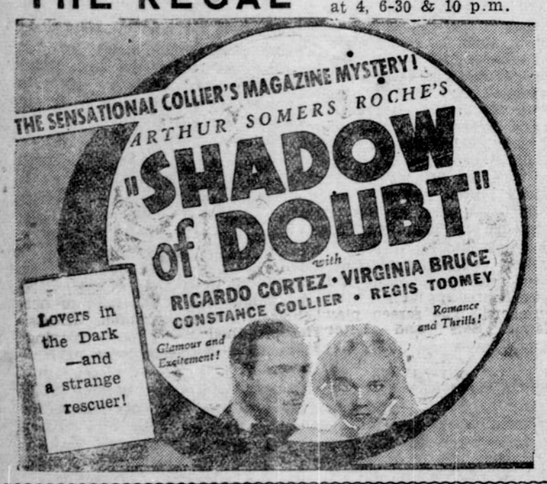
Dawoodkhan pleading not guilty stated that he saw a traffic constable at the junction who gave him the way to turn into the lane.

MAGISTRATE DISBELIEVES STORY

The Magistrate characterised the defence story as false, since no traffic constable was posted at junction, and convicted the accused. In view of the clean license held by the driver of the lorry the Magistrate passed a lenient sentence of a fine of Rs. 25.

The Magistrate further made an important observation that there was the necessity for posting a traffic constable at that junction in view of the fact that four roads met there and the traffic would be heavy.

THE REGAL TO-DAY and TO-MORROW at 4, 6-30 & 10 p.m.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AN AMAZING PROPOSAL

The United Press is responsible for the report that the authorities in London are seriously considering the question of changing the constitution of the Indian Tariff Board and that there is every possibility of the present Board being soon dissolved, even before the expiry of its recently extended term and its being replaced by what is called Pact Tariff Board, which will have a similar footing as the Statutory Railway Board and Reserve Bank. The report even goes so far into detail as to state that the name of Sir Allen Green, the Deputy High Commissioner for India in London, is freely mentioned as the possible President of the reconstituted Board and that one of the first duties of the latter will be to tackle the Mody-Lees Pact which expires at the end of the year. The report is amazing but not altogether groundless. Recently the recommendations of the Tariff Board have been rather embarrassing to the Government of India and more so to the British Government. The facts and figures cited by the Board after a full inquiry cannot be easily dismissed or explained by Government when the Board's recommendations are unacceptable to them. And probably Government feel it easier to reconstitute the Board than to reject its recommendations every now and than and attempt the hard task of defending the rejection.

In Whose Interests?

It would have been very difficult, for instance, for Government to defend their rejection of the Board's recommendation to protect Indian textiles with sufficiently high duties even against Britain but for the timely aid of the Mody-Lees Pact, and they may find it easier to give another lease of life to the Pact with the aid of a more officialised Tariff Board. Similarly, it has been impossible for Government to convince Indian businessmen of their wisdom in turning down the recommendations of the present Tariff Board regarding the glass industry. Then, again, Indians have been asking for adequate State aid for the manufacture of Railway locomotives in India but, as Mr. P. R. Rau, Financial Commissioner, Railway Board, explained to the Standing Finance Committee, Government are still only considering the question. British business interests would be grateful for a reorganised Tariff Board with a strong British element in it to "safeguard" British locomotive industry against Indian competition. In short the proposal to reorganise the Tariff Board does not seem to be quite groundless.

Help Swadeshi

While the advantage to British business interests of a Tariff Board reconstituted on the lines indicated above is obvious, will the Government really go so far as to submit to dictation from these interests? And even if the Board is actually so reconstituted, if instead of being Indianised in every sense of the term it is made pro-British, will it enjoy the confidence and goodwill of the Indian business community? Does it not occur to British businessmen that they are carrying their craze for safeguards too far? These safeguards of every conceivable kind, imposed upon India against her will and in utter disregard of her interests, leave no scope for real goodwill among Indian businessmen specially and among the Indian people in general. Yet it should be obvious to every normal mind that British trade cannot flourish long in India except with the genuine goodwill of her people. However, the duty of Indians is clear in this matter. It is becoming more and more difficult to obtain adequate State aid for Indian industries, whenever Indian interests conflict with those of Britain. The people, therefore, have no other alternative than to make up for lack of due State aid by giving preference to Swadeshi goods at all costs. And it is also the duty of Indian businessmen, in their own interests as also the interests of the country, to support the popular Swadeshi movement in every possible way. Swadeshi is the one safeguard that we can put against all the safeguards devised by non-Indians for non-Indians and forced on us. But if we are determined enough we can make that one more than a match for all the anti-Indian safeguards imposed upon us.

Peiping To Shanghai

Echoes of Peiping and Chahar have scarcely died down when another Sino-Japanese "incident" has occurred as a result of which an "ominous" and "dangerous" situation, as usual, is developing rapidly. This time the crime of China consists in a Shanghai newspaper publishing an article which is alleged to be derogatory to the Emperor of Japan. For ought one knows the article may be just as innocent or objectionable as comments on Kings and Emperors, Dictators and Fuhrers by gossip writers in, say, the "popular" press of Britain, America, France, Italy and even Japan. But since Japan has decided that it is derogatory to the Emperor, the question neither admits of any discussion nor is open to appeal—if there were any court of appeal.

China has, therefore, been called upon once more—and not for the last time—to bow the knee before Japan. The Chinese authorities are reported to have agreed to suspend the offending weekly and punish the editor and writer of the article. But we are sure that the matter will not end there. Japan will not be satisfied until all her demands are accepted. And what demands! Because a Chinese newspaper published something which is alleged to be objectionable, a high Chinese official of the Municipality should be dismissed, Kuomintang headquarters in Shanghai should be abolished and the Chinese Blue-Shirts suppressed. Would Japan, one wonders, have dared to make such demands if, for instance, an American or British paper in the International Settlement had been 'guilty' of the offence? Inflammatory handbills by a certain section of the Japanese are being distributed among the Japanese community in Shanghai. They must, no doubt, be definitely derogatory to the sovereign dignity of a whole nation. Would Japan do unto her own what she would have done by China unto the Chinese?

Why Not Britain?

Messrs Eden and Malcolm MacDonald had to go through an uncomfortable few minutes in the House of Commons facing questions about the proposal to cede some "British" territory to Abyssinia and Abyssinian territory to Italy. Sympathy for the native tribes and their interests on the part of Tory Imperialists is, of course, little better than sanctimonious humbug, nor is the transfer of "protection", without consulting Native feelings, any different from the gratuitious assumption of it. But the whole question may be regarded as closed owing to Signor Mussolini's rejection of the proposal. What is of immediate concern is the next step that Italy is going to take. It will be a step of aggression and clearly in defiance of Treaties and Covenants. And, in this connection, it is quite true that while Britain may be more closely concerned in the affairs, other Powers also owe very positive obligations to the League and to a fellow-member. We hope British soundings in Paris will prove successful. But we do not see why Britain should not take the initiative in the discharging by League members of their collective obligations. Some one, has to do it. Why not Britain?

But according to the later reports, King Ras Tafari has himself taken the initiative. He has invoked the Kellog Pact and he has always been invoking the Covenant. It is now for America and the League Powers to choose between Italy and their solemn undertakings. What they would do is unfortunately not yet clear. For while they are on the one hand proclaiming themselves as conscious of their duties, they are also, on the other hand, suffering from ill-concealed hesitation and fear of Italy.

UNITED FRONT

Is It Possible?

(By S. D. DEO.)
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As the day when the India Bill will be finally placed on the Statute Book is approaching, the cry for forming a united front to face the national danger is naturally getting louder. Open any Nationalist paper, and you are sure to find the Editor in its editorial columns or some party leader of high eminence trying in his speech by various arguments to impress upon the minds of his dear readers or respectful audience the supreme necessity of realizing that India, to-day, is faced with a colossal calamity and unless all political parties, whatever may be their past, forget their fundamental or trivial differences and present a united front, the feature of the country, indeed, is very dark. Pundit Kunzru very recently in his public addresses at Poona and in Bombay has laid greatest emphasis on this point and has made a fervent and sincere appeal to that premier political organisation in the country, namely, the Indian National Congress, to try its utmost to bring together for a common action various political parties in the country and has promised full and hearty co-operation in this, on behalf of the Liberal party. The sincerity of the appeal nobody can question; but it loses much of its value when one finds the Pundit absolutely refusing to place all his cards on the table. He has very cleverly thrown the responsibility of taking the initiative in the matter on the Congress leaders and has challenged them to find out the best method of successfully achieving this end.

Congress Leaders' Support

It seems this fever of unity amongst all the parties by forming an united front, has also affected some of the Congress leaders. Dr. Pattabhi Sitaramayya, a member of the Congress Cabinet, has also appealed very recently through the columns of some paper from South India to the Liberals, to help to form this united front by coming some steps forward, so that, the Congress may go one step backward and thus the unity may be achieved. No body can blame the learned Doctor for not taking his countrymen into confidence and tell them what he exactly wants the Liberals to do when he asks them to come forward two steps in the interests of us all. But one has every right to expect from the Doctor that he would make it plain to everybody what in his opinion, constitutes going one step backward on the part of the Congress. But here, the Doctor is disappointing. He leaves it to us to judge what he means by this coming two steps forward and going one step backward. It seems that he feels it quite sufficient to call both the Congressmen and the Liberals to drill. However, though nobody, it seems, is ready to suggest the exact method and manner of bringing about this common object, many sincerely feel that anyhow this must happen. So let us go a little deeper and find out whether this forming an united front is possible, at all and if possible, between what parties.

British Government's Hope

By this time, even a small child in India knows what this common national danger or calamity is. The present national Government in England is determined to force on India a consti-

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TO GANDHI

From age to age our antique land has shown
A vision splendid of her noble image
In men of mighty moral weight and tone
Who bear the torch of light as guide and sage.

The Genius of Bharat beams on Thee
O' sage of Orient! with glowing grace.
Thou hast a vision of our Liberty:
Pictures of Peace, indeed, that vision trace.

Thy sword and shield our hearts shall be, to save
O saint, to save our stricken motherland;
Thy golden voice—prophetic, sweet and grave
It thrills our hearts with pride and hope so gay.

We, youth of Bharat bow with pride to Thee:
Immortal Soul.....O' Saint of Liberty.

—Mohanlal Kashyap
in "Twentieth Century"

KUNZRU AND UNITED FRONT

Menace Of Federal Scheme

By K. F. NARIMAN. II.

On this occasion, both Whitehall and Simla, becoming wiser by their past and recent experiences, have taken good care not to rub the Liberals the wrong way. If there was no equality of political and constitutional status in the framing of the scheme, these shrewd White diplomats had taken great care to maintain and keep up an apparent equality in all outward arrangements, procedure and superficial personal privillages.

Recent Experiences

The Indian delegates at the R. T. C. enjoyed what they considered great honour and privilege and occupied seats round the same table in debate and discussion, at least in the conference, were permitted the same indulgence as the members of Cabinet, and were even allowed to make speeches longer, more tiresome and monotonous, than those of their hosts. So long as such satisfactory external arrangements remained and the outwardly edifying procedure was maintained, every thing went on smoothly, and it did not much matter, if their arguments and logic were cast to the wind and allowed to evaporate in the Imperialistic and aristocratic air, or if their carefully prepared and influentially-signed memoranda were consigned to the waste-paper basket. But as soon as a little change for the worse was suggested in the procedure at a later Committee stage, so that their personal dignity was offended, again a slight gesture for non-co-operation, from that normally co operating quarter appeared, and that accommodating and shrewd politic stage-manager, Sir Samuel Hoare, soon adjusted matters so as to remove the apparent cause of personal indignity and affront. With such recent experiences the task of uniting them all with such different mentalities on a question of national principle, without any personal element to prick or goad them seems to be rather difficult. Still the efforts of Pandit Hridaynath Kunzru are commendable and deserve all encouragement and support.

Unity For Action

It must also be remembered, that it must not be a mere temporary patch work arrangement, the so-called Unity of tee opportunists, in order to gain some insignificant and unimportant points. Nor must it be a mere verbal or paper-unity of declaration, announcement or resolution. The Liberals must be prepared to take it to its logical conclusion and agree to final and drastic united action also in the future.

They must first rid themselves of the false fears and apprehensions, that the withholding of this sham reforms means terrible political calamity for India. That short-sighted and narrow view that craving for immediate, little supposed gains, is mainly responsible for the halting and vacillating policy of some of these Liberal stalwarts. The impression they thereby create both on their countrymen and abroad, is that their clamour for rejection is not serious but intended merely as a bluff: that their aim and object is to extort as much as possible, but that at the same time, they would take great care, not to take it to the breaking point; hence all these oscillations and inconsistencies. At one time they appear to be seriously contemplating rejection, but soon after as a result of some White Hall or Simla bluster or sops, follows another announcement, considerably modifying even reversing, that position. Shastri, Chimanlal and even Sapru have roared occasionally, but immediately after some explanation or statement they have quickly receded from that uncomfortable situation, and made ample amends for the supposed lapse on their part. They apprehend that they have overshot the mark and hence must quickly rectify the blunder before it is too late, lest the British moulders of India's destiny, should take them seriously at their words, and in a moment of huff and resentment, withhold even the contemplated crumbs offered. That frankly appears to be the real situation. Hence it is difficult to know the inner mind and intention of these constantly-changing politicians.

We will, therefore, appeal to the young and enthusiastic President, first to feel properly and correctly the pulse of his own people And then he should take the next forward step only after being satisfied as to the stability and stamina of his Party and his associates. So far as the Congress in concerned, Pandit Kunzru will find it ever ready and willing, to co-operate with all and sundry to make the last supreme eleventh-hour effort, to save the country from impending political danger.

Six Of One.....

An open calamity is any day better than a real one in the false guise of a blessing. The Federal Central scheme is a device to perpetuate our bondage and put a final irremovable seal on the political fate of India. Its permanent and irrevocable nature is the most objectionable feature. The supposed new partnership with the Princes, will lead to ruinous results and will mean everlasting and never-ending political bankruptcy and insolvency for the whole Indian Nation. Between the present Dyarchy in Provinces, and the coming Fede-

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Frankly Speaking

RETURN OF HAPSBURGS

The return of the Archduke Otto to Austria, with the Royal property restored, is, of course the last but one step to the throne. And the formal restoration of the Hapsburg monarchy in Austria may now be regarded as merely a question of a few months, inspite of the fact that France, Britain and Italy had decided to keep the question postponed indefinitely. The situation is rather "intriguing." The restoration of monarchy will almost inevitably lead to union between Austria and Hungary—Major Fey has already gone to Budapest. How will it affect Italy, France and the Little Entente and Germany? Italy, the patron of both Austria add Hungary, will naturally welcome the step as a move against Germany and France; but not without some misgivings since an Austro-Hungarian monarchy would be an embarrassingly strong "protege." Germany is, of course, watching events very carefully and, perhaps, with an annoying sense of helplessness. Having hurt herself once she can only sit and watch a definitely pro-German Austria slipping away from her; for, with Hungary united to Austria, the latter would not care to merge into Germany. As to France and her satellites they are afraid of Germany absorbing Austria and they are also afraid of an Austro-Hungarian kingdom re-emerging. But they would be better advised to accept the settled fact of a Hapsburg monarchy since, at the best, the only alternative would be a settled fact, in the fulness of time, of an Anschluss.

UNREASONABLE CLAIM

Muslim leaders seem to be satisfied with the assurance given by Government that they will not recommend to Parliament any changes in the Communal Award except with the approval of the communities concerned. But some of them insist that the assurance should be embodied in the Constitution. This is not an unreasonable demand provided the Constitution lays down clearly the procedure for ascertaining the wishes of the communities concerned. That in such a matter the wishes of a community should be ascertained through the communal electorate's representatives in the Legislature is a reasonable claim, though provision should be made for a referendum when necessary. But for anybody to insist, as some Muslim leaders do, that a three-fourths majority of the legislators of the community concerned is necessary to determine the will of the community is unreasonable as it is a virtual defiance of the will of the majority when that majority is less than three-fourths. In any case it is most unwise for interested persons to resort to devises calculated to make a communal settlement practically impossible.

COMMENDABLE LEAD

A practical step to reduce the appalling illiteracy among the working class has been taken by the Bombay Adult Education Association with the opening of two literacy classes in the Parel area. We cannot too highly commend this example. The curse of illiteracy is more widespread in India than in any other country in the world. Education of the people is one of the most useful services to the country at present. For education alone can open to them those treasure-houses of knowledge and culture access to which has been so long denied to them by reason of their ignorance. The industrial workers specially need to be educated to be able to fight for their rights more effectively. The Adult Education Association, by opening these classes, has shown the way. Let us hope others too follow this commendable lead

WHERE ARE THEY?

The communal tension in Lahore, as usual born out of misunderstandings aggravated by irresponsible communalists, is assuming a dangerous character. As the Deputy Commissioner points out in his statement, "such a state of affairs if allowed to continue, is bound to embitter communal relations and endanger the peace of the city". It is now almost a week since, the Muslim-Sikh relations became strained and while deploring such a state of affairs we cannot help noting the indifference of the Muslim "leaders" towards the situation. It is a revealing commentary on their pretensions that they should not also consider it their duty to go to Lahore and try to bring about an amicable settlement and relieve the communal tension. Sir Fazli Hussain, Sir Mohamed Iqbal and Sir Feroze Khan Noon, to name only three prominent "leaders", all belong to Lahore itself and yet we have not heard of anything that they have done to improve the situation. Why? Is it that they must always be vocal after the event?

ADULTERATION OF DRUGS

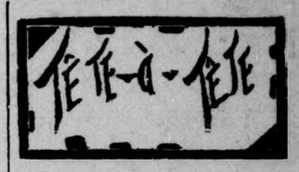
The Chemists and Druggists' Association has done well to urge upon Government to take prompt and due action against the rampant practice of adulteration of drugs. That practice is a menace to public health, besides being a severe blow to the indigenous drug industry. The local chemists and druggists and the medical profession have often before urged Government to take action in the matter. Government were at last so far persuaded as to appoint a committee to investigate the whole question and the Committee submitted a report four years ago. But it is a pity Government have taken no action on its recommendations all these years. Will they wake up to their duty at least now?

-PRESS VIEWS-

Are These Just?

Another thundering sentence was pronounced by a special magistrate in Bengal under the Bengal Criminal Law Amendment Act against two detenus called Sarkar and Lahiri. They get three years each for the offence of concealing Rs. 250 worth of currency notes in a photographic frame which is an offence under the rules of detention. Surely the sentence is too heavy for the offence of carrying money. The ends of justice would certainly have been met if a sentence of a few months had been pronounced.

Another detenu in Bengal was sentenced to ten years' rigorous imprisonment for disappearance from the Bankura Leper Asylum where he was confined as he is stricken with that fatal malady. Dhanesh was eventually arrested but in his suit case was found an amount of Rs. 353 with an automatic pistol, five cartridges, and some letters. The sentence pronounced is extremely heavy specially when no offence was committed with the pistol. Are the public of India to believe that these are just sentences? Such thundering sentences defeat their own purpose as, after all, justice must not outrage public opinion.—"Sind Observer."



At the Empire Parliamentary Dinner Mr. Baldwin trusted that "Indians will profit by our mistakes, shun our vices and copy our virtues, if any."

A warning, however, is necessary. Mr. Baldwin, however truthful he may be, was speaking in post-prandial jest. And Indians will take him at his word at their own risk.

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Mr. Dickie (M. P., not schoolboy) wanted to know if the inhabitants of the area that was proposed to be transferred to Italy were consulted in the matter.

Mr. Malcolm Macdonald (chip of the good old bloke) replied that there had been no negotiations but that "the tribe's interests would have been consulted if the suggestion had gone any further."

Certainly, certainly, the consultee being the permanent official of the Colonial Office in charge of British Somaliland.

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Liberal-Constitutionalist way of expressing the obvious:—

"It was only after the British Indian delegation had left London that Sir Samuel Hoare was converted to the views of Sir Austen Chamberlain and others" —Sir Phiroze Sethna on the change over from direct to indirect elections.

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Sir Geoffrey Corbett, ex-I.C.S., has been appointed adviser to the newly created Egyptian Ministry of Commerce in which Sir Miles Lampson, High Commissioner, is, says the Cairo Correspondent of Anglo-India, greatly interested and "of which, we might say, he himself is the creator".

We have not the very slightest doubt about it. Why "might"?

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A joint meeting of the Muslim League and the Muslim Conference will be held on July 21. "The agenda includes" the raising of funds for the Quetta sufferers and consideration of section 304 of the Government of India Bill and any action that may be thought fit to be taken".

Whatever else may be said of the League-Conference-wallahs they are certainly prompt.

In this connection we are in a position to state that the drafting of a telegram congratulating His Highness the Aga Khan on his Derby triumph is not on the agenda.

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After welcoming the Government's communique on Section 304, Maulvi Shafi Daudi declaims:—

"The duty of Muslims at present is quite clear. They should not rest unless and until the assurance given by His Majesty's Government by their 'communique' dated July 2 and the undertakings given in the Communal Award are incorporated in the India Bill".

Or unless and until Moulvi Sahib's labours are otherwise duly rewarded. Wouldn't that do?

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Bori Bundar calling:—

"While the British Press disapproves of Italy's intransigent attitude and talks vaguely about exerting pressure to bear upon her. Italy proceeds with plans."

Like the caravan, eh?

But "vaguely" is right. Quite distinctly right.

By the way, where does Bori Bundar stand now?

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"The question of the manufacture of railway locomotives in India was discussed at great length. At the outset Mr. R. S. Sarma congratulated Sir Abdul Halim Ghaznavi on the knighthood conferred on him"—Bori Bundar Special.

And we congratulate the locomotive driver.

By the way, what is Mr. R. S. Sarma?

Adroit Move To Checkmate Italy's Plan

Abyssinia's Last Bid For Independence

Emperor Appeals To U. S. To Invoke Kellogg Pact

Attitude Of European Powers Uncertain Yet

WASHINGTON, July 4.

Adroitly choosing Independence Day, the Emperor of Ethiopia has appealed to the United States to invoke the provisions of the Kellogg Pact in connection with the dispute with Italy. The text of appeal has not yet been published.

Officials are very silent, but are apprehensive that the appeal will precipitate a situation similar to that when China invoked the pact in the Sino-Japanese Dispute in 1931.—Reuter.

FRANCE ANXIOUS TO PREVENT WAR

PARIS, July 4.

The French Government is paying keen attention to the Abyssinian Problem and its desire to prevent war is no less keen than that of Great Britain. It is understood that the French policy is to fight shy of the League of Nations owing to Italian sensitiveness on this score, and endeavour to find some solution through direct negotiations, but above all it is realised that the "sands of time are running out."—Reuter.

BRITAIN WILL NOT SHIRK OBLIGATIONS

LONDON, July 4.

The centre of gravity of the Abyssinian problem seems to have shifted to Paris where Britain is making soundings on the basis of British collective obligations as a member of the League.

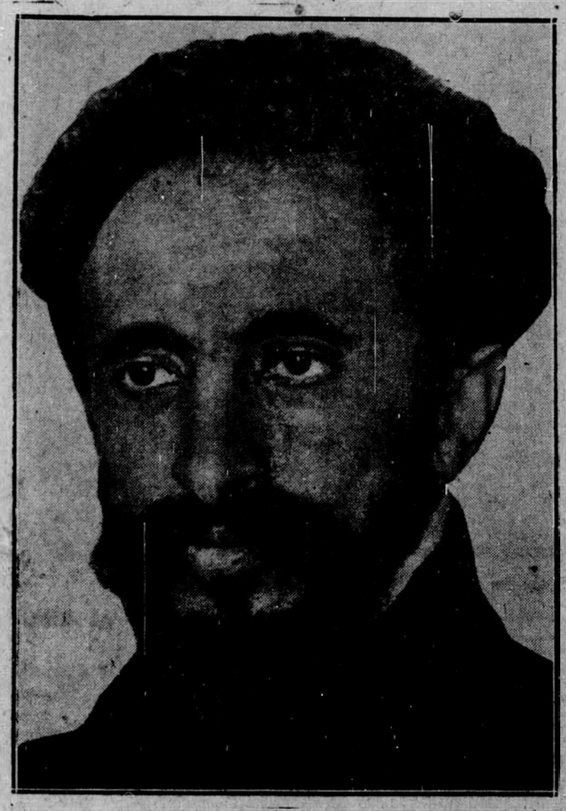
Britain's policy seems to be not to shirk her obligations, but at the same time not to bear the whole burden of action alone if other countries decline to take their share.

No action will be taken without consulting the Dominions.—Reuter.

TRIBESMEN TO GIVE EVIDENCE BEFORE COMMISSION

THE HAGUE, July 4.

It is understood that at the request of the Italian representative, ten tribesmen who witnessed the fighting at Walwal will be brought by air to an airport in Southern Europe to give evidence before the Conciliation Commission now sitting at Scheveningen.—Reuter.



Haile Salassie, Emperor of Abyssinia, who is doing his utmost to avoid a conflict with Italy.

Business Committee For Ottawa Inquest

Federation Of Indian Chambers Urge Reforms In Income-Tax Act

A further inquest on the working of the Ottawa Agreement was held by the Committee of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry at a meeting held on Friday at the Indian Merchants Chamber Office.

The Committee which sat more than four hours discussed the working of the Ottawa Scheme of Preferences and its effect on Indian Trade. The Committee also discussed the Income-Tax Reform proposed by the Finance Member to the Government of India.

That the decision about the Financial adjustment between India and Burma was a gross injustice done both to India and Burma was the view of the Committee, which discussed in detail the Report of the Tribunal appointed for the purpose.

Lala Padampat Singhania of Cawnpore, the President of the Federation was in the Chair, while the following were present at the meeting:—Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas (Bombay); Mr. Nalini Ranjan Sarkar (Calcutta); Pandit K. Santanam (Lahore); Seth Kasturbhai Lalbhai (Ahmedabad); Mr. Manu Subedar (Bombay); Mr. D. P. Khaitan (Calcutta); Mr. Chunilal B. Mehta; Mr. M. L. Dahanukar and Mr. S. M. Basheer.

OTTAWA INQUIRY

After expressing the Committee's sense of sorrow at the demise of Raja Rishi Kesh Law, the Committee took up for discussion the working of the Ottawa Pact, and its effect on Indian Trade. After an exhaustive discussion, the Committee appointed a Sub-Committee consisting of Messrs Kasturbhai Lalbhai, Nalini Ranjan Sarkar, D. P. Khaitan and Lala Sri Ram to examine the effects of the working of the Ottawa Scheme on the Import and Export Trade of India and to submit their report thereon to the Committee.

INCOME-TAX REFORMS

The Committee also decided to prepare a memorandum, dealing with the difficulties and hardship to which Indian mercantile community is subjected as also the abuses that have crept in the administration of the Income-tax Act and the application of the Rules there under, with a view to recommend to the Government of India to manner in which the Income-tax system should be revised in structure and procedure.

The memorandum will also deal with some of the important questions connected with Income-tax, such as unfairness of scales, carrying forward of business losses, and operation of certain Sections of the Act.

In this connection, the Committee also decided to request the Government of India to associate, with the deliberations of the Committee of Experts, Indian businessmen to facilitate the genuine study of the problems relating to reform in the Income-tax Law in India.

EX-PARTE DECREE

The Committee considered the report of the Tribunal about financial adjustments between India and Burma. They felt that persons most intimately interested in this enquiry, viz., Indians and Burmans had been left out in the constitution of the Tribunal; the Tribunal examined only representatives of the two Governments, and did not give any chance to persons mostly concerned, viz., Indians and Burmans, for presenting their case; and as such the Report of the Tribunal has done gross injustice to the claims of both the countries. The Committee, therefore, decided to address the Government of India strongly protesting against the manner in which the question was handled by the Secretary of State for India, and suggesting to the Government a proposal to constitute a new Tribunal, wherein Indians and Burmans will have adequate representation and that representatives of Indian and Burman opinion will be allowed to represent their case fully.

The Committee decided to invite the attention of the Reserve Bank authorities to certain hardships, under the changed rules in connection with Currency Notes Refund Rules the general public and particularly the commercial community are suffering and to request them to amend the Rules in a suitable manner, after examining the results of the new free remittance facilities that the Bank authorities have now initiated, with a view to minimise the chance of currency notes being cut for remittance purposes.

INDIAN FOR I. L. O.

The question of adequate representation of India on the staff of the International Labour Organisation was also discussed at the meeting, and it was decided to represent to the Government of India that India shall have a greater representation on the personnel of the I. L. O. Secretariat, in view of the substantial contribution which India has been making to the League of Nations.

DELHI-SIMLA OFFICER

The Committee confirmed the appointment of Mr. Paras Nath Sinha as their Officer for the Delhi-Simla Office, and Mr. Sinha will take charge of the Office as soon as he returns from England.

The Committee considered the Report of the Tariff Board re: protection to the Glass Industry, and decided to submit a suitable representation to Government protesting against the manner in which Tariff Board's recommendations re: protection, are ignored by the Government and suggesting grant of adequate protection to the industries.

ADULTERATION OF DRUGS

With regard to the question of adulteration of Drugs, the Committee decided to address the Government of India suggesting immediate consideration of the Drugs Enquiry Committee's recommendations and taking suitable measures to prevent the adulteration of drugs.

POLAND ANXIOUS ABOUT GERMAN NAVAL POLICY

Beck Has Long Parley With Hitler In Berlin

BERLIN, July 4.

The Polish declaration of friendship which last year came as a stabilising factor in Eastern European affairs, was given a personal touch by the visit of Colonel Beck, the Polish Foreign Minister, who met Herr Hitler for the first time since the policy of amity became the mutual desire of both countries.

It is generally assumed that Poland is slightly uneasy about the effects of the Anglo-German Naval Agreement, and would seek an assurance about its bearing on German Naval Policy in the Baltic. That this and other questions affecting the main European situation, for example the Franco-Soviet Pact were discussed amicably is indicated by Colonel Beck's statement following his four and half hours parley with Herr Hitler.

A German communique says the talks were frankly conducted and showed a large measure of agreement.—Reuter's Special Service.

JAP TROOPS FOR JEHOL

HSIKING MANCHURIA July 5

A party of 100 Japanese troops is being rushed to border region of Jehol following a report that a detachment of General Sung-chehyuan's army attacked and looted the Manchukuo frontier post, seriously injuring two guards. Gen. Sung who the former Chinese Commander of Chahar Province was recently dismissed by the Nanking Government following the Japanese demand for the withdrawal of all of Gen. Sung's troops from Chahar.—Reuter.

MASS COLLECTIONS ON "QUETTA DAY"

Bombay observed Quetta Day in a befitting manner in response to the appeal of Sir. Rajendra Prasad, on Friday.

Mass collections were made by means of sealed boxes and one Rupee coupons. About 150 sealed boxes and 20,000 one-Rupee coupons were issued by the Bombay Quetta Earthquake Relief Committee. The Collections made through boxes will be announced shortly. The collection through coupons will continue throughout the ensuing week.

A hundred members of the Gandhi Seva Sena and about 30 lady volunteers led by Miss Safia Somji in their O'chre coloured saris were again in evidence in the various business localities of the city. Collecting funds in sealed boxes.

Students also took part in the work of collections organised by the National Students League. About 30 boxes and 1900 coupons were issued to the students.

The Islamia College, Andheri Wilson College, and Grant Medical College organised themselves in their colleges to contribute funds for Quetta Relief through their Principals.

APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS

It is understood Miss Amy Rustomjee Inspectress of girls schools and well-known social worker of Bombay has appealed for volunteers from colleges in the City to make special collections for Quetta Relief in Colaba.

INSOLVENTS' DISCHARGE SUSPENDED

Mr. Justice Blackwell at the High Court suspended the discharge of Salemahomed Dharamsey and Co., who were adjudicated insolvents in January 1932.

"At Home" To President Of Federation

To meet Lala Padampat Singhania of Cawnpore, President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Mr. Manu Subedar, Chairman of the Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau, was "At Home" at Mongini's on Friday.

PERRY WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Retains Title By Beating Von Cramm

(SPECIAL CABLE).

WIMBLEDON, July 5.

The weather was sultry and the 17,000 spectators packed in the stands to their fullest capacity saw Perry win the Wimbledon championship for the second successive year. Perry played considerably better than ever previously at Wimbledon and was only once led when the German was serving 2—1 in the third set.

In the final of Men's Singles Perry beat Baron Von Cramm 6—2, 6—4, 6—4.

WOMEN'S DOUBLE (SEMI-FINAL).

In the semi-finals of Women's Doubles Mrs. Stammers and Miss James beat Mrs. Haylock and Mrs. Kirk 6—3, 6—0.

Mme. Mathieu and Frau Sperling beat Sigart Meulemeester and Metaxa Howard 6—4, 8—6.

In the quarter-final Quist and Jedrzejowaka beat McGrath and Miss Hartigan 2—6, 6—3, 6—1.

MEN'S DOUBLES (SEMI-FINALS)

In Men's Doubles semi-final Allison and Van Ryn beat Hughes and Tuckey 4—6, 6—4, 6—2, 6—2.

MIXED DOUBLES.

In the semi-final mixed doubles Hopman and Hopman beat Von Cramm and Sperling 6—4, 6—4.

England's new Davis Cup pair Hughes and Tuckey were beaten by the holders of the title of 1929 and 1930.

Tuckey displayed much pluck, fire and fine smashing but Hughes and Lobs gave opportunities to Americans who quickly killed many points. The English pair Mrs. Stammers and Miss James meet veterans Mathieu and Sperling in the final of Women's Doubles.

CONGRESS PLAN FOR PERFECT ROLLS

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who were eligible under the educational qualifications were not many. Those who came under special franchise, like being the wife of a person possessing the property qualifications etc., have to apply to the Collector to get their names registered. The enumerators were not bound to take down or register the names of those who fell under the category of Special Franchise.

But the Collector had special forms printed even for those of special qualifications and the forms would be given to the enumerators. According to the Collector it would facilitate the work of every one concerned if all those, eligible for voting got their names registered of their own accord.

CONGRESS PLAN.

Not less than two months would be required by these 180 enumerators to complete their work, added the Collector. The final official list of the voters could not be complete before the New Government of India Act passed through Parliament and had received the royal assent. That could not be before next year.

A prominent official connected with the Provincial Congress Committee when approached at the outset referred to the statement of Babu Rajendra Prasad who had stated that all Congressmen should help in the preparation of the electoral Rolls, without taking into consideration the question of Congress contesting the elections under the new reforms. He thought that nothing would be lost, if people got their names registered as voters.

EDUCATING HARIJANS.

The Congress official said that the Congress had already undertaken the work of educating the Harijans in the City, with a view to get them on the electoral rolls. Since the literacy qualification entitled a harijan to get on the electoral roll, if he knew only to sign his name, the Congress Harijan Sub-Committee were engaged in training up the illiterate Harijans, at least to learn as much as to sign their own names. The Harijan Sub-Committee had demanded 5,000 slates which would be sanctioned by the Congress Committee.

The Congress would spare no pains, continued the Congress leader, nor would it spare any amount in carrying on propaganda and educating the public about the necessity of getting their names registered on the electoral rolls. It was the duty of every property owner to see that his wife's name was registered as a voter.

It is not yet decided as yet by the Congress Committee, as to what form their propaganda in this connection, should take.

Is Indo-Burma Agreement Permanent?

'It Provides 'Status Quo' For Specified Period, After Separation'

Lord Lloyd sprang a surprise in the House of Lords when the Committee Stage of India Bill debate was resumed on Thursday.

Remarking that as a number of his amendments were not carried he felt like "a toad under the harrow," he packed up his papers and left the Chamber, but he did not state that he was abandoning the debate.

LONDON, July 4.

Information with regard to the Indo-Burma trade agreement was sought by Lord Rankeillour on the resumption of discussion on clause 161 at the committee stage in the Lords. Lord Rankeillour inquired whether the Indo-Burmese agreement would be permanent.

Lord Zetland said he had not seen the agreement which was not yet reached at, but it provided a "status quo" for a specified period when Burma is separated.

The question of security of pensions was raised by Lord Lloyd's amendment to clause 162 giving the Secretary of State power, if necessary, to borrow in sterling on the security of the federal or provincial revenues.

Pensions Secure

Lord Zetland sympathised with the pensioners' anxieties, and said he was honestly satisfied that the provisions in the bill did absolutely secure them pensions to which they were entitled. The amendment was withdrawn.

Lord Lloyd then proposed an amendment to clause 220 designed to ensure that not less than one-third judges of the High Court should be members of the I.C.S.

Lord Zetland opposing, assured that there was no intention of ceasing to employ I.C.S. judges but a considerable inconvenience would be caused by instituting the quotas.

Replying to Lord Lloyd's suggestion that pressure should be brought on the ministers to squeeze out I.C.S. judges, Lord Zetland pointed out that the ministers would not be concerned with the appointments which would be made by His Majesty on the recommendation of the Secretary of State.

Lloyd Hurt

After further discussion Lord Lloyd asked if Lord Zetland would reconsider the matter at the report stage. Lord Zetland refused, whereupon, Lord Lloyd remarked that he would not press the amendment, and as he and his associates were unable to carry any amendments he was like a toad under the harrow. The amendment was negatived.

Lord Salisbury proposed an amendment to clause 243 so as to include the irrigation of forests among the Secretary of State's services. Lord Linlithgow, opposing, opined that any attempt to weaken the position of provincial ministers with regard to the irrigation would be strongly resented in every province.

Lord Meston, contesting the argument for centralisation, said that administratively irrigation was so inextricably associated with agriculture and collection of land revenue that it was impossible to divide them. They must be safeguarded by the same ultimate administrative powers. Lord Salisbury's amendments were defeated by 62 votes to 18.

Strange Behaviour

Lord Salisbury and Lord Lloyd were not present when the house re-assembled after the dinner interval. Indeed, Lord Lloyd had not been to the Chamber since remarking that he felt like a toad under the harrow, packed up his papers and left, but he did not state that he was abandoning the debate.—Reuter.

KAPOOR'S STORY OF "AEROPLANE ROMANCE"

Ram Narayan Kapoor, the accused in the "Madras Aeroplane Romance Case," narrated his version of the Romance when the case was resumed before Mr. I. S. Haji at the Mazagaon Court on Friday afternoon.

"The charges brought against me," the accused declared "are absolutely false. The girl, Ranganayaki, has come with me of her own accord."

He narrated the incidents that led to his acquaintance with Ranganayaki and how they met at her eldest brother's house where she told him of her sad married life. She requested the accused to take her away from those who illtreated her.

On November 28, when he opened the door of his house in the morning, he saw Ranganayaki standing there, crying. She asked him to take her away immediately. She induced him to bring out his car and went in it. And on her advice, he went to Bangalore with her. About four days later, her father, mother, and some other relatives went thither.

Without telling him anything and against Ranganayaki's will, they took her away. Her father went to him the next morning and told him: "I know you would not have done this; this is the fault of my daughter who has persuaded you to come over here."

Kapoor then described the circumstances under which he paid S. S. Ragavan, the complainant Rs. 200 in the presence of Ranganayaki and repeated letters from her.

Sometime in November, 1934, he met her on the roadside and after telling him about her troubles asked him to take her away from her place before the 3rd or 4th of January 1935. He however, kept quiet though he received letters repeatedly asking him to take her away.

On January 23, 1935 when he was in his office, he received a 'phone call summoning him home immediately. When he went home he saw Ranganayaki, she looked very sad and said to him: "If you want to help me in any way, you must remove me from here." She also stated that she had made arrangements to leave for Bangalore by air. He was a member of the Aero Club at Meenumbakkum and that night both of them went to Bangalore. Here they passed as husband and wife. Then they came down to Bombay and stayed at Mellose Hotel. Here too they did not live as husband and wife but only passed as that.

On February 25, father of the girl went to his place at Lamington Road and after a few minutes' talk demanded Rs. 5,000. The next day also he went there and repeated the demand. On his insistence he sent a telegram to Calcutta. The next day again he went there to see if he had received the money. Finally on Feb. 28 he said "I can't afford to waste my time. I must have Rs. 5,000 in ten rupee notes just now. Or I will see that you are sent to prison." He however did not make any reply and so in anger the father left the place.

CHARGES NOT FRAMED

Court: You have addressed Ranganayaki as "Sweet darling, Sweet heart." Why did you address her in these terms?—I wrote to her in those terms because she wrote to me in those terms.

Court: When did she suggest to you to go to Bombay? At Bangalore or at Madras?—Ranganayaki suggested to me to leave for Bombay both at Madras and at Bangalore.

The charges were not framed after this when the Court rose for the day and the case was adjourned to to-day. (Saturday).

Rajen Babu Appeals To You For Help

Three Papers' Fund Must Reach Rs. 20,000 This Week

The Central Relief Committee organized by the Congress President, has already begun the work of allotting funds to various items of relief to the survivors of Quetta earthquake disaster and Babu Rajendra Prasad has appealed to the readers of the "Bombay Chronicle", the "Bombay Sentinel" and the "Bombay Samachar" to help the Committee by providing funds. We remitted a sum of Rs. 10,000 out of the Three Paper Fund to Babu Rajendra Prasad this week. We trust our readers will enable us to send another instalment of Rs. 10,000 before the week ends.

In order to enable all classes of people easily to contribute their bit to the work of relief, for the sufferers from the Quetta Earthquake, the "Bombay Chronicle", the "Bombay Samachar" and the "Bombay Sentinel" have in association, decided to open a fund called "The Three Paper Quetta Relief Fund" in their columns. All sums not below Re. 1 will be accepted and acknowledged in the columns of all the three papers.

The proprietors of the three papers have donated a sum of Rs. 1,001 to the Fund.

The readers of the three papers responded, beyond our hopes, to our call for help to swell the Bihar Earthquake Relief Fund. The Quetta calamity is vastly greater than that which had overtaken Bihar. The need for relief and consequently for money to provide that relief is much greater. We have no doubt our appeal to the readers of the "Chronicle", the "Samachar" and the "Sentinel" to contribute at least 10 per cent. of their monthly income will evoke a generous and immediate response. We need hardly add that relief delayed is relief denied.

All cheques should be drawn in the name of "The Three Paper Quetta Relief Fund."

Contributors are requested to see that they get receipts from this office for the amounts contributed by them.

THREE PAPERS' FUND

List of Quetta Earthquake Relief fund received on 5-7-35 is as follows:—

Previously acknowledged	Rs. 15,575	9
N Shrinivasan, Esqr.	1	0
Nandnath K Dixit, Esqr.	10	0
Colection from residents of Dirdwa (Abyssinia) Hindu Mahajan and other Hindus as below:—	522	8
	Ral.	
Dirdwa Mahajan	250	0
Sha Nathoo Mulji	21	1/4
Sha Lakhmichand Bhagwandas and Co.	11	1/4
Sha Anderji Maneckchand	11	1/4
Sha Morarji Vachhraj	10	1/4
One Gentleman	5	
Sha Maganlal Mulchand	10	1/4
Sha Shamaldas Virchand	10	1/4
Sha Himatlal Abhechand	5	1/4
Sha Dharamshi Premchand	5	1/4
Sha Ottamchand Zaverilal	5	1/4
Sha Devshi Kanji	3	1/4
Sha Tarachand Maneckchand	5	1/4
Sha Khetshi Sunderji	1	1/4
Sha Anandji Vashram	2	1/2
One Gentleman	5	1/4
Sha Vithalji Mulji	11	1/4
One Gentleman	7	1/4
One Gentleman	5	1/4
One Gentleman	5	1/4
One Gentleman	10	
Total Ral	401	3/4
Or Total Rs.	522	8
A Bombay Sympathiser	5	0
P N Heble, Esqr.	5	0
Staff of Morlidhar Mathurawalla through Girdharilal Shroff Mathurawalla	11	0
R M Narvekar	5	0
A Sympathetic Share Broker	250	0
Shrimati Muktabai Ashkaran Meghji Sheth	20	0
Harkisandas Narotamdas	1	0
Lalu Narayan	1	0
Nal Bazaar Cocoanut Merchants' Mandal	101	0
Total	Rs. 16,508	1

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VICEROY'S QUETTA FUND

Amount already announced £8,305-8-8	Rs. 21,55,052-2-2	
Lahore District Board	5,000	0
Singer Sewing Machine Co., Bombay	3,000	0
Women's Quetta Earthquake Relief Fund, Hyderabad-Dn.	2,000	0
H. H. the Nawab Saheb of Radhanpur	2,000	0
H. H. the Raja of Chamba	2,000	0
Army and Navy Stores, Ld., of London, Bombay and Calcutta	1,400	0
Danta State Collections	1,271	0
Donations through the Private Secretary to H. E. the Governor of U. P.	1,018	0
Sir Homi Mehta, Bombay	1,000	0
Mrs. Stuart Wortley-Highcliffe-Hants	£5	
Mr. M A McGregor-Aboyne, Aberdeenshire	£5	
Smaller Donations	1,270-7-3	
Other amounts below 1,000, total	Rs. 28,905-0-3	
Grand Total £8,313-8-8	Rs. 21,83,957-2-5	

MAYOR'S QUETTA RELIEF FUND

Amount previously acknowledged	Rs. 89,461-4-3	
(The Donation of Rs. 500 received from the Grass Merchants' Association on 12th June has been transferred to No. II account at their request.)		
ACCOUNT NO. I.		
Anonymous	Rs. 101	0
A Parsi Head Mistress of a Municipal School out of the purse presented to her on retirement	50	0
From a Kutch Mandvi Bhatiya Gentleman	25	0
Sub-Committee (12) Banks: Mr. J. G. Ridland:—	per	
The Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd.	500	0
Sub-Committee (22) ladies: Mrs. Haji:—	per	
Mr. and Mrs. Mohomed Hashanbhoy	Rs. 101	0
Mr. Nagindas Foolchand Chinai	100	0
The Presidency Magistrate, Additional Court, Mazagaon	75	0
Capt. J C Richards	50	0
Per lady Jeejeebhoy:—		
Friends and staff of the office of D S Madon and Son	101	0
In memory of my mother	100	0
A Sympathiser	50	0
Mrs. K M Jhaveri	25	0
Per Mrs. Francis Low:—		
Mr. and Mrs. Mistry	25	0
Amounts below Rs. 25	41	6
ACCOUNT NO. II		
Amounts below Rs. 25 totalling	Rs. 77	0
Total	Rs. 90,882-10-3	

KUNZRU AND UNITED FRONT

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ration in the Centre, there is nothing to choose. It is six of the one and half a dozen of the other. Therefore, those like the young President, who have political vision, long enough to see beyond the tips of their noses, can easily understand and appreciate the significance, wisdom, foresight and even expediency of the Congress Working Committee Resolution. "To prefer to carry on the struggle for Swaraj under the present constitution" does not mean, as some misinterpret, giving a certificate or testimonial to the equally and universally condemned present system. If the Federation Scheme is rejected by the country wholly and totally, without any reservation, the chances are that both Federation and Dyarchy may die together simultaneously, one prematurely, other of old age.

BOMBAY QUETTA 'QUAKE RELIEF FUND

The following are the further contributions received by the Bombay Quetta Earthquake Relief Committee:—

Through Smt. Khatijaben Vasi from Muslim ladies and others:—

	Rs.	as.
Mrs. Amabai A Matchswala	101	0
Mrs. Fatubai T A Amiruddin	51	0
Mrs. Sheereen A Maskati	50	0
Mrs. Amabai T Kajiji	30	0
Mr. F M Mogul	25	0
Mrs. Manubai H A Amiruddin	25	0
Amounts below Rs. 25	271	0
Sjt. Shankarbhai J Amin	101	0
Sjt. Hiralal Karsandas	101	0
Sjt. Ranchoddas Narandas	101	0
Sjt. Hiralal M. Khandwala	101	0
Sjt. Chotalal N Shah	51	0
Sjt. Hiralal M Mehta	51	0
Total Rs.	1,059	0
Previously acknowledged	65,116	0
Grand Total Rs.	66,175	0

UNITED FRONT

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tution which no body in this country wants. The rulers are perfectly aware of this fact; but they feel sure in ther minds that once this Constitution is passed, much of this unwillingness on the part of Indians will vanish and sufficient number of them will come forward to use the new Constitution for what it is worth, though not in words still in action. This confidence, it must be candidly admitted, based on past experience on similar occasions, makes the members of the present British Cabinet supremely indifferent to the wordy protest of the Indian people. They feel, rightly, or wrongly, that the only body which could have resisted them successfully is completely exhausted at least at present; and as for the rest, they exactly know what value to attach to their fighting attitude, which is sure not to go beyond fine and brave phrases. So, what the British Government think is that they anyhow have to pass the constitution and then the rest may be left, not to the Gods, but to the Indians, and everything will be alright for some years to come at least.

Problem Of Problems

Now as for the Indians, it seems that the Congressmen as well as the Liberals and everybody who is worth anything in the political field is agreed that it would be far better to remain under the present Constitution than to pass under the new one. But our rulers are not going to leave us in this comparatively happy position. They are determined that India shall work this new constitution, however great her aversion towards it may be. Therefore the problem of problems before us is how to foil the attempt made to foist an unwanted Constitution on India. And hence, at this most critical juncture in the history of our nation the call of closing up our ranks and giving a united front becomes irresistible, and woe be on him who dare raise his voice against it.

(To Be Continued.)

"BOMBAY STANDARD"

Publication Postponed

We are requested to publish the following:—

"With the forfeiture of the security of Rs. one thousand, the publisher's declaration filed on behalf of the Bombay Standard has become void. And when a fresh declaration was filed on Tuesday last, the Chief Presidency Magistrate ordered that fresh security of Rs. 3,000 must forthwith be deposited.

Further the Sun Printing Works where the Standard is being printed has also been ordered to pay a deposit of Rs. 1,000. The question of depositing the increased security for the Standard is still under consideration, and pending final decision, the publication of the paper is postponed."

INJUNCTION AGAINST CO-OPTION BY CORPORATION

High Court's Judgment In Chowna's Petition

MR. JUSTICE WADIA ORDERS BYE-ELECTION TO BE HELD FOR MANDVI SEAT

Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia at the High Court on Friday granted an injunction against the Municipal Corporation restraining them from adopting the procedure of co-operation to fill the vacancy created by the resignation in November 1934 of Ramji Bharmal, one of the Corporators elected in 1932. His Lordship also directed the Municipal Commissioner to hold a bye-election to fill this vacancy.

The order was made on the application of Hormusji Manekji Chowna, a former Corporator.

The whole case turned on the interpretation of section 34 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act which provided for co-option. The words "if an insufficient number of concillors are elected" occurring in the section, in His Lordship's opinion, did not cover a case, like the present where old councillors are 're-elected' by operation of the statute, and not by the vote of electors.

Discussing the legal provisions of the Act His Lordship in his judgment referred to section 33(4) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act 1888 which provided that if the Chief Judge set aside an election proceedings, the vacancies caused thereby should be filled by the procedure laid down in section 34. Now section 34 (1) provided that if from any cause no councillor was elected at any general election, the retiring councillors should, if willing to serve, he deemed to have been re-elected. Section 9 provided that if a councillor resigned previous to the date of retirement, that was deemed to be a casual vacancy which must be filled up by a bye-election.

SEQUEL TO CHIEF JUDGE'S JUDGMENT.

A casual vacancy occurred by the resignation of Ramji Bharmal in November 1934 before the date of his retirement, and as there was no bye-election to fill up the vacancy. Ramji Bharmal was not one of the retiring councillors, and therefore in the events that had happened, there were only 15 members who were deemed to be re-elected to the Corporation from the B Ward, as a result of the Chief Judge's judgment. Out of these 15 councillors, who were deemed to councillors, who were deemed to be re-elected, Mr. Harilal Vora who was poration was entitled to fill up the vacancy by itself electing a member (by co-option) under section 34.

The dispute was regarding the filling up of the other vacancy.

CORPORATION'S POWERS.

Under section 34 (2), proceeded his lordship, the Corporation could appoint a duly qualified person as a member in one of three contingencies namely (a) where no councillor was elected in a general election and the retiring councillor is unwilling to serve, or, (b) where in the case of an election held to fill a casual vacancy no councillor was elected or (c) in the case where an insufficient number of councillors are elected.

His lordship pointed out that the words in clause (c), namely "an insufficient number of councillors are elected" did not cover the case in which the retiring councillors who were deemed to be re-elected were short of the full number who could have been re-elected. It could not be said that the councillors who were deemed to be re-elected had been "elected." They did not come in as a result of any election, but by the operation of the statute. A re-election by operation of the statute was not an election as contemplated by sec. 34(2).

In the present case there were not 16 retiring councillors on April 1, 1935, and, as it could not be said that there was an "election" of an insufficient number of councillors after the general election of January last had been set aside, his lordship held that the Corporation could not proceed to fill up the vacancy of the one seat according to the procedure laid down in sec. 34.

NEED FOR BYE-ELECTION.

In his lordship's opinion the only procedure for the purpose of filling up that seat was by holding a bye-election as provided in section 9. His lordship, therefore, granted the injunction as asked for and also directed a bye-election to be held on such a date as the Municipal Commissioner might fix.

Mr. Homi D. Banaji Advocate instructed by Messrs. Lala and Co., appeared for the petitioner. The Advocate-General, instructed by Crawford Bayley and Co., appeared for the respondents.

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"DANGER TO SOCIETY"

Railwayman Who Tried To Molest Girl In Train Sentenced

Remarking that young men like the accused were a danger to the Society and especially to women, who travel unaccompanied by their guardians, Mr. Oscar H. Brown Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon, convicted and sentenced Dominic Michael Fernandez, a clerk in the D.V.S. office of the G.I.P. Railway at Victoria Terminus to pay a fine of Rs. 5 and to undergo rigorous imprisonment for two months for entering a women's Railway Compartment and assaulting and attempting to outrage the modesty of an 18 year old girl who is undergoing nurse's training ina Maternity Home in the city.

The Magistrate further remarked that he took into consideration the fact that a conviction of the accused would mean the loss of his service, and also the fact that he was a married man. Hence he passed a minimum sentence.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charge of entering a ladies' compartment but pleaded not guilty to the second charge.

At about 7 p.m. on June 24, it is stated, the complainant entered a third class ladies' compartment of a down local train and the accused also entered the same train.

At Masjid station, the accused alighted from his compartment and came nearer the ladies' compartment and, it is alleged, began to hiss with a view to attract the attention of the complainant. The complainant took no notice of it and the train started. Again at Sandhurst Road Station, accused repeated the overture until the train started.

Entered Compartment.

When the train stopped at Byculla, accused entered complainant's compartment from the off-side and placed his hand on her shoulder, at which she resented.

Accused quickly alighted from the compartment and began to run away. He was, however, chased and arrested immediately.

The girl in her evidence stated that while she was travelling in a local train at about 7 p.m. on June 24, the accused came to her compartment at Masjid station and tried to attract her attention of which she took no notice. At Byculla, she stated, accused got into her compartment and seized her by her "choli" (bodice) and when she raised an alarm, he got down and ran away. She also got down and chased him, but accused managed to slip out of the station gate. But one of the onlookers, a witness in the case, continued the chase and caught him.

Accused's Defence

The accused in his statement said that the compartment in which he was travelling was fully crowded and so he had to stand on the foot-board throughout. As he had an appointment with his brother-in-law at Byculla, he was in a haste to get down. As his compartment was crowded, he got down from the off-side of the ladies' compartment, when his ankle got twisted and to keep in balance, he stretched his hand to catch hold of a bench in the ladies' compartment next to him and accidentally his hand fell on the complainant.

In the course of his orders, the Magistrate remarked "As he got no encouragement, anybody would have felt his overture rejected, and he would have gone away, but the accused became bolder."

With regard to the plea of the accused that he had to move on the foot board throughout and alight through the ladies' compartment, as the main was fully crowded, the Magistrate said that as the accused was travelling with a pass, for which he had not even paid anything being a Railway servant, he should have waited for a few minutes more and caught the next local, if the main was really so crowded.

ALLEGED ASSAULT ON TENANT

Sequel To Inability To Pay Rent?

Unemployment and arrears in payment of house rent by a Muslim named Hyder led to an affray, in which Hyder was struck at with a knife on Wednesday night at Khoja Street.

Usman Abdulla was arrested in this connection by the Maharbouri Police on Thursday afternoon and was placed before the Girgaum Police Court on Friday charged with trespass and causing hurt.

It appears that on Wednesday noon Hyder, who was living in a room in Khoja Street, was asked by his landlord's "Mehta" to pay up the arrears of rent for one month. Hyder pleaded inability as he was out of work.

On Wednesday evening Adam Dada is stated to have accosted Hyder and is alleged to have abused him and punched him on the face for not paying the rent.

The same night, it is further alleged, Usman Abdulla and Adam Dada entered the complainant's room and, while Adam caught hold of Hyder, Usman struck him with a knife. As a result of this Hyder was wounded on his head and shoulder and was treated in the J. J. Hospital.

Usman Abdulla was ordered to be released on a bail of Rs. 100 with one surety in like amount, Rs. 30 to be deposited in Court. Adam Dada is stated to be absconding.

The case is posted to July 12.

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY

Results Of LL.M., M.S., M.D. B.Hy. And D. O. Examinations Declared

The following are results of the LL.M., M.D., M.S., B.Hy. and D.O. Examinations, held in June last:

I. LL.M. EXAMINATION.

Second Class: T. M. Harpanhalli and V. B. Potdar.

II. M.D. EXAMINATION.

Pass: Miss S. M. Lahevala and J. C. Patel.

III M. S. EXAMINATION.

Pass: J. F. Bhajiwalla, V. B. Davalbhakta and E. J. Ramdas.

IV. B.HY. EXAMINATION.

Passed the whole Examination: T. B. Patel.

Passed in Part II: V. C. Bhinde, V. V. Gharpure and K. O. Jaeel.

V. D. O. EXAMINATION

Pass: H. J. Hathi and Y. K. C. Pandit.

SEQUEL TO HITCH IN MARRIAGE?

Bodies Of Girl And Lover Found At Bhiwandi

A solitary wood-cutter who had repaired to a jungle on the outskirts of Kalyan to hew wood, on Tuesday evening, unearthed the tragic fate of the two youthful Hindu lovers, whose dead bodies lay side by side on the green grass, locked in close embrace.

The girl, who was aged about fourteen, "fair as the moon" and a young man of twenty, slept, side by side, the sleep that knows no waking.

ASTROLOGER'S DAUGHTER

The girl was the daughter of a well-known astrologer at present residing at Wilson Street opposite the Maharbouri police station. The young man was stated to be a motor driver, by name Hazarimal.

A post-mortem examination of the bodies revealed that the two lovers took opium to put an end to their lives.

MOTIVE FOR CRIME

Inequality in the status of the unhappy pair and consequent inability to marry is suspected to be the motive for the crime.

MISSING SINCE 1ST INST.

A complaint had been lodged with the Maharbouri Police by the father of the girl on the 1st instant that Chandrika had been missing from home and that it was suspected Hazarimal, a motor driver had eloped with her.

The police searched for the girl and the youth but they could not be traced till late in the evening on Tuesday when the lone wood cutter discovered their bodies lying near a bush, in a wood at Bhiwandi.

The Thana District police were informed, and proceeding to the spot they took possession of the bodies. The father of the girl and two officers from Maharbouri police station, who were by that time informed about the tragedy, went to the place and identified the deceased.

A post-mortem examination was held and it was found that the two youthful lovers had had recourse to opium to end their lives.

It was stated that Hazarimal was known to the Pundit's family for a long time.

As Hazarimal had no relations to claim his body his remains were buried in the jungle itself; but the body of Chandrika was brought over to Bombay in a motor-car on Wednesday night for disposal.

Seven Charged Under Gaming Act

BOMBAY, Friday.

A raid, carried out by the Maharbowri Police at about 11 p.m. last night in a room on the first floor of a building in Ardeshir Daji Street, resulted in the arrest of seven persons and seizure of a pack of playing cards and some cash.

Kanioo Maula and six others were in this connection, placed before the Girgaum Police Court to-day on a charge of gaming and ordered to be bailed out till July 8.

Lord Willingdon visited the Golden Temple, Amritsar, on Tuesday the first Viceroy to do so since Lord Curzon.

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BEHAR'S ANTI-PURDHA DRIVE

Rajen Babu To Join Demonstration On July 8

PATNA, July 4.

While Behar is preparing for observing the Anti-Purdha Day on July 8 next, attempts are being made to arrange for public meetings in all important towns and villages of the province in furtherance of the campaign to stop this social evil.

Ladies, who are still in Purdah are being persuaded to come out on that day and take part in these public meetings.

At Patna, the Sinha Library Hall has been selected as the venue of the local Anti-Purdah meeting, which will be attended, among others, by Babu Rajendra Prasad, the Congress President.

Beharis, of all shades of opinion, including high officials, zemindars and middle-class people will join hands to make the demonstration a complete success.—United Press.

CALCUTTA LADS SENT TO BOMBAY CHILDREN'S HOME.

Three lads, hailing from Calcutta, were found at the Victoria Terminus at about 11-30 on Thursday morning. They were taken in custody by the Railway police and were later sent to the Children's Home.

The names of the boys are:—William Henderson (12) Douglas Buchanan (11), and P. Gomes (9).

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CHOLERA IN VILE PARLE

What Municipality Has Done To Fight Disease

The Chairman of the Sanitary Committee of the Vile Parle Municipality has issued the following statement:—

A few cases of Choleric Diarrhoea were reported in the Municipal area of Vile Parle recently. The Sanitary Committee of the Vile Parle Municipality took immediate steps to disinfect the affected area as well as all the public and most of the private wells of the locality. Vegetable and fish markets are being kept under strict supervision. Bilivaccine (anti-cholera) is being supplied to the public at a nominal rate.

Thousands of leaflets in all the principal languages urging upon the people to take all precautionary measures have been widely distributed. Sanitary rounds by members of the Municipality have been arranged and all reasonable preventive measures are being taken with the result that no fresh cases have been reported since 29th June.

It is hoped that public Associations and individuals in the Municipal area will assist the Municipal administration in carrying out health propaganda amongst the people of this thickly populated suburb.

EXTENSION OF MONSOON

Poona Weekly Weather Report

POONA,, July 4.

The following is the weekly weather report ending July 3:—

The low pressure area which lay over the central parts of the country at the end of the previous week filled after causing widespread rain there and in Gujarat and East Rajputana on the 26th. Both branches of the monsoon strengthened after the first two days of the week and the monsoon extended into the United Provinces on June 29 and was established there by the first of July.

It also extended temporarily into the Punjab Hills and Kashmir on the 30th and was active generally in Burma, North-west India and the west coast of the Peninsula throughout the week and in the central provinces during the latter half of the week.

The temperature has been above the normal in and around the United Provinces during the first two days of the week and generally over north-west India the next two days.—A. P.

RAINFALL REPORT

The following table shows the rainfall during the 24 hours ending 8 a.m. to-day:—

	For the last 24 hours	From June to date	Total during same period last year
	in.	in.	in.
Colaba ..	2.01	34.37	31.63
St. George's Hospital ..	1.40	48.53	41.15
J. J. Hospital	0.53	42.11	36.75
Matunga ..	0.18	40.73	36.52

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY.

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 5-7-1935

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours plus 041 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m 78.5 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m 74.9 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 81.9 degrees 4.6 (below normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 74.2 degrees 2.7 (below normal).

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 84 p.c

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. WSW

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 9 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 179 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 33 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10) 10.

Rain in 24 hours 2.01 inches.

Total rainfall during the month 6.68 inches.

Total rainfall during the year 34.39 inches.

Weather Remarks.—Rain.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 5-7-35.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 80.6 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.78 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.58 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

KURLA STRIKE CONTINUES

Match Factory Manager Refuses To Receive Letter From Workers

BOMBAY, Friday.

The letter on behalf of the Strike Committee of the Kurla Match Works employees who are now on strike, and the demands of the strikers, both of which were refused to be received by the manager were sent by registered post.

A huge meeting of the strikers was addressed by Miss. Maniben Kara. Messrs. Nimkear, Jogleker, Bhogle, Suryavansi and two strikers.

The Strike Committee met yesterday afternoon and drafted a leaflet for the next day; and decided to keep strong pickets against blacklegs.

Another huge meeting of the strikers was addressed last evening by Messrs. Suryavansi, Galande and Vaidya. The demands were explained to the strikers and they were exhorted to remain firm till their demands were granted.

STRIKERS' DEMANDS.

The following are the demands formulated by the workers of the Kurla Match Factory, at their meeting held on July 3, 1935

1. No victimisation. All workers on the strike shall be taken back without exception.

2. Restoration of wagecuts. All wagecuts shall be cancelled and workers shall be paid the salary at the rate they were getting in January 1934.

3. Factory shall be kept working for full 26 days of the month.

4. Punishments for drifting mistakes shall not be inflicted. Workers shall not be forced to purchase cloth, umbrellas and such things from the masters.

5. Workers compensation act shall be rigidly applied in this factory. Workers shall be paid the due compensation for the injuries they receive while working. They shall get salary for the period they are sick as result of injuries they receive while working.

6. Proper medical help shall be given to workers particularly when they suffer on account of injuries caused while working.

7. Salary for the strike period shall be paid.

8. Factory shall run in accordance with provisions of the factory act and the workers shall not be made to suffer by violating the factory act.

9. Payments shall be made to all the workers on any one day and not all different.

LETTER TO MANAGER.

The following is the text of the letter addressed by the Secretary of the Strike Committee to The Manager, of The Bombay Match Works Kurla.

Sir.

"As directed by the Strike Committee we have to address you as under:— Due to heavy wagecuts and other grievances workers of your factory are on strike. They have formulated their demands at the General Meeting held to-day at 9 a.m. We are enclosing herewith these demands for your consideration.

We shall be obliged to know the convenient time and place for a meeting between the strike committee representatives and yourself to discuss the points at issue.

Await an early reply.

CHOLERA IN SUBURBS

Suspected Case In Vile Parle

(From Our Own Correspondent)
ANDHERI, July 5.

Half a dozen suspected Cholera cases have occurred at Vile Parle and the people are naturally perturbed over this. The Municipality, I am glad to say, has taken measures to localise the disease by disinfecting the wells and gutters in the affected locality. Members of the Sanitary Committee are moving about on their inspection rounds every morning. No fresh attack has been reported this week.

Two attacks have been reported at Bandra and several at Danda which is a small village on the sea-shore mostly inhabited by Kolis and Agris.

SUBURBAN ELECTRIC SUPPLY

The Bombay Suburban Electric Supply Company's seven years' contract with the Vile Parle Municipality for the supply of electricity for street lighting comes to an end on 31st July and the members of the Municipality are considering proposals for securing better terms at the hands of the Company. Although the Company gives a concession rate of 3 annas a Unit for all street lights, they charge a pretty big amount as rental every year for poles fixed by them. This amounts to nearly Rs. 15,000 and unless a substantial reduction is secured under this head, the Municipality with its limited resources is unable to extend their street lighting programme.

As regards the rates for private consumers, I understand that the Company has already started giving a substantial reduction in fixing charges to their new customers and intend reducing the rate from 6 annas to 5 annas a unit very shortly. When this is done, a large number of people will go in for electricity and those who have already taken it, will use it more liberally.

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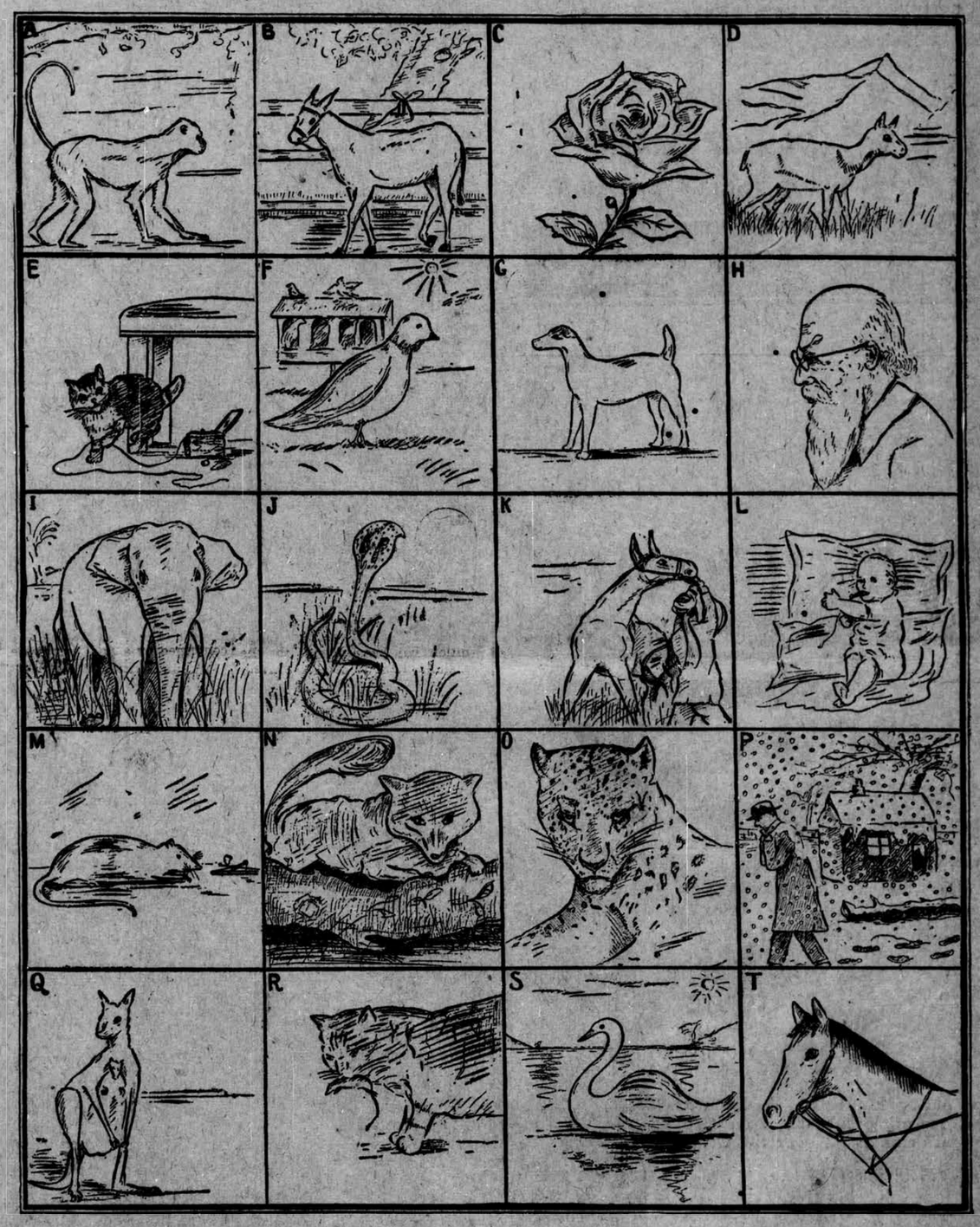

In this interesting competition you are asked to find out what each of the illustrations represents or signifies and to make matters easy a list of clues is given at the foot. For instance, "Gray Hairs" generally signify "wisdom" so selecting No. 3 from the clues we put it against "H" in the coupon. Similarly in common parlance we say "white as snow." So No. 11 of the clues goes against No. "P" in the coupon.

LIST OF CLUES.

1 Obstinate.	6 Friendship.	11 White.	16 Sly.
2 Bounding.	7 Swift.	12 Wily.	17 Love.
3 Wisdom.	8 Faithful.	13 Useful.	18 Treacherous.
4 Playful.	9 Dangerous.	14 Sagacious.	19 Silly.
5 Baby Carrier.	10 Destructive.	15 Innocent.	20 Graceful.

Competition Solutions must be submitted on the Entry Coupon which will be found in the "Bombay Chronicle" Sunday Edition of the 30th June, and 7th July, 1935. Closing Date 10th July, 1935.

Indian Town Destroyed

LATER.

After visiting the Abbottabad fire area, H. E. the Governor returned to Nathiagali this afternoon. The Military had succeeded by noon in circumscribing the flames and blowing up certain houses. But before this was done practically the entire Indian town had been destroyed.

It is believed that at least a 1,000 houses and shops have been destroyed.

A refugee camp is being established.—A. P.

Jail Bird's Appeal Dismissed

(From Our Correspondent)
THANA, July 5.

An appeal preferred by Rock Phillip Francis Phillip of Bombay (having 15 previous convictions and described as an interprovincial thief by the Crown), against the order of his conviction on a charge under section 81 (d) of the Police Act and sentence of one month's hard labour passed by the Bandra City Magistrate on May 27 last was dismissed yesterday by Mr. M. A. Bhave, the Sessions Judge of Thana.

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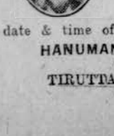

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When Universities Quarrel Students Suffer

Provisional Certificates Liable To Be Cancelled, Says Bombay Registrar

The Registrar of the Bombay University writes:—

The following is an authoritative statement of the situation to-day with regard to the admission of students of the University of Madras to courses of study in the Bombay University:—

It is necessary to make a reference to the past history in this matter in order to give a correct idea of the present position.

In the year 1933, the University of Madras refused admission to a student who migrated from this University and sought admission to the courses of study leading to the B.A. degrees of that University. That student had passed the Intermediate Arts Examination of this University, which till then had been recognised as equivalent to the corresponding Examination of the Madras University. On a representation made by the student to the Registrar of this University, the latter inquired of the Registrar of the Madras University as to the reason why the student in question had been refused admission, and the reply received was that the student had not obtained second class marks, and that no student who failed to obtain second class marks was eligible for admission.

MATTER OF RECIPROCITY.

Some correspondence thereupon ensued between this University and the University of Madras, in the course of which it was pointed out to the Registrar of the University of Madras that this University had recognised the Examinations of the Madras University without any restrictions as to class or percentage of marks, and as the recognition of Examinations of other Universities as equivalent to the corresponding Examinations of this University was a matter of reciprocity, this University would have to reconsider the entire question of the recognition of the Examinations of the Madras University. The relevant regulation reads thus:—

"In all cases in which recognition has been given to the examinations of other Universities and bodies as equivalent to the corresponding examinations of this University, such recognition is available only to those Universities and bodies which reciprocate with this University', and applicable only to such students as have attended a regular course of study laid down for the examination at a College affiliated to the University or included among its constituent Colleges or at an Institution recognised by the body concerned."

NATURAL SEQUEL

As the Madras University maintained the position that it was for them to lay down any restrictions they chose, this University on a consideration of the whole matter decided to withdraw the recognition of all Examinations of the University of Madras. The result of this decision was that this ban on the Examinations of the Madras University continued, until September, 1934, when this University received a letter, dated the 15th September, 1934, from the Registrar of the University of Madras stating that his University had agreed to recognise the Examinations of this University as equivalent to the corresponding Examinations of the Madras University without any restriction as to the class or percentage of marks in consequence of this action, on the part of the Madras University, this University promptly withdrew its ban, and the recognition of the Examinations of the Madras University was restored. Since then, students of the Madras University sought and obtained admission to various courses of study in this University in accordance with the rules governing equivalence of Examinations.

FROM OTHER UNIVERSITIES.

On the 4th May, 1935, a letter was received from the Registrar of the University of Madras pointing out that the question of the recognition of the Examinations of other Universities had been receiving the attention of the Syndicate of the Madras University and that they had decided that the Examinations of other Universities should be recognised as equivalent to the corresponding Examinations of the Madras University without reference to the divisions in which candidates had passed or the percentage of marks obtained by them, provided that certain conditions were satisfied. The Registrar also pointed out that O.4 of the Chapter XXXII of Vol. I, Part II, of the Calendar of 1934-35, had been modified accordingly. He further went on to state that candidates from other Universities could secure admission to courses of study only subject to provision in the regulations governing them and that the M.A., M.O.L., M.D. and M.S. degrees were not open to students of other Universities. He further pointed out that the new Ordinance cancelled the decision of the Syndicate communicated in the letter of the Registrar, dated the 15th September, 1934, (to which reference has been made above), though the position practically remained unaltered. This letter was placed before immediately after its receipt the Vice-Chancellor for necessary orders as the Academic Council and the Syndicate were not to meet until the end of June. The Vice-Chancellor, in exercise of his emergency powers, passed orders that the M.A., M.D. and M.S. degrees of this University should not be open to the students of the University of Madras.

AT THEIR OWN RISK.

In view of the fact that the recognition of the Examinations of other Universities is on a basis of reciprocity, and that this University had withdrawn recognition from the Examinations of the Madras University on the occasion referred to above, the Vice-Chancellor authorized the Registrar in issuing provisional eligibility certificates to students of the Madras University seeking admission to this University to inform them by letter simultaneously with the issue of the provisional certificate that the whole question of the recognition of the Examinations of the Madras University was under the consideration of the University authorities, and that if the authorities of this University should finally decide to withdraw recognition from the Examinations of the Madras University, no final eligibility certificate would be issued to them. They would therefore be seeking admission at their own risk and should have no cause for complaint, if their admission was not confirmed by a final certificate.

The authorities of this University could have withdrawn its recognition of all the Examinations of the Madras University if they had so desired, but at the last meeting of the Academic Council and the Syndicate after considerable discussion it was decided at the suggestion of the Vice-Chancellor that this University should not come to any final decision, pending the result of the negotiations for an amicable settlement now proceeding between the authorities of the two Universities.

ONLY PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES

The position therefore at present is that the students of Madras will only be entitled to provisional certificates, and their provisional admission is liable to be cancelled if, as a result of the refusal of the authorities of the Madras University to restore the "status quo," this University is eventually compelled to withdraw its recognition of all or any of the Examinations of the Madras University.

ROYAL ARMY VETERINARY CORPS

Progressive Extension Of Indian Cadre By New Scheme

(From Our Correspondent).
SIMLA, July 4.

Some years ago the Secretary of State approved the policy of replacing British officers of the Royal Army Veterinary Corps in the Indian continuous service cadre, as wastage occurred by Indian commissioned officers' normal rate of wastage involved a period of about 21 years before the last of 22 British officers of this cadre was replaced by an Indian commissioned officer.

The Secretary of State has now approved the new scheme of Indianization by which there will be progressive extension of the Indian cadre to a total of 60 Indian commissioned officers.

This policy will provide every Indian mounted-unit with the services of trained M. R. C. V. S. (Member of Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons) for the proper application of modern veterinary science to th iroblem of reducing animal wastage.

The following information may be of help to the parents who are considering the Indian Army Veterinary Corps as a career for their sons.

(1) To obtain commission in I. A.V.C. a candidate must first obtain the diploma of M. R. C. V. S. which can only be obtained in the British Isles after 5 years study at a recognised veterinary college.

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Thana District Board Appoints Committee To Invite Tenders

(From Our Correspondent.)
THANA, July 5.

At a meeting of the Thana District Local Board held yesterday afternoon under the presidentship of Khan Saheb A. A. Divkar, a resolution for the appointment of the Badlapur Bridge sub-committee consisting of five members, with Khan Saheb Divkar as chairman, was unanimously carried.

The Sub-Committee is empowered to invite tenders for various designs costing up to Rs. 53,000.

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Quetta Authorities Have Ample Resources

Civil Official Explains Reasons For Govt.'s Ban On Entry Into 'Quake Land

The Director of Public Information has sent the following "unofficial" note which deals with some of the points in connection with the situation in the earthquake area which have given rise to controversy in certain sections of the Press:—

"During the critical weeks following the earthquake the one form of assistance which was not merely redundant, but definitely embarrassing to the overworked authorities, was that of volunteer workers who had nothing but their personal services to give and who were in most cases ignorant alike of the locality and of the mentality, the customs, and above all, the language of the inhabitants."

This statement, which appears in a communication received by the authorities at Simla from a civil official who has been in direct personal touch with the situation in the area affected by the earthquake since the disaster occurred, serves to emphasise the necessity of the decision taken by the Government of India and the local authorities in the early stages of the catastrophe to prohibit the entry into the Quetta Area of private individuals and unofficial parties desiring to undertake relief work.

REASONS FOR BAN.

In the various unofficial statements already issued on the subject it has been made clear that the main reasons for the prohibition were—

(1) the absolute necessity of conserving food supplies during the early days,

(2) the possibility of the complete break-down of the water supply and the interruption of communications if another serious shock had occurred, and

(3) the grave danger of the outbreak of epidemic disease.

Quite apart from these considerations, which in themselves completely justify the Government of India's action it is obvious that it was essential that relief work should be conducted on an organised basis, and under discipline, and to have permitted the entry at will of private individuals and parties of volunteers would have led to confusion.

In addition to the immediate work of rescue and relief, on which every available individual, both civil and military was engaged, the concern of the authorities was to evacuate the refugees and the wounded from Quetta, with the least possible delay, and thereby lessen the dangers to which reference has been made above.

A BOLD CLAIM

The claim has been made by some persons with no first-hand knowledge of the situation, that more lives could have been saved if unofficial relief parties had been admitted. But not an atom of evidence can be produced that where rescues were at all possible they were not effected promptly by the authorities on the spot. And it should be remembered that the greater part of the rescue work which was commenced on an organised basis within 45 minutes of the disaster, had been completed within the first 48 hours i.e., before it would have been possible for volunteer working parties to have arrived from outside.

In regard to the demand that has been put forward in certain sections of the Press that relief parties should be allowed to work in the rural area affected by the earthquake, it is perhaps not recognised generally that of the villages in the neighbourhood of Quetta which were partially or wholly destroyed, all but Sariab, Samungi and Nauhissar (together with a few other settlements and isolated farms), are in Kalat State and not in British India.

The Kalat State authorities have made it clear that they do not require volunteer relief workers from British India, though it is understood that assistance in the shape of materials for erection of earthquake-proof houses, and to supply of tents to meet the needs of temporary accommodation would be greatly appreciated. Even in normal times travellers, other than State subjects, are not permitted to proceed beyond Mastung without a special permit.

The prompt steps to supply food and medical relief to the whole of the affected rural area, and the organisation established for the purposes of ensuring regular and adequate supplies have already been described in detail in official reports published from day to day.

As regards the rural area in the Quetta Tahsil it has been ascertained that the food supplies are assured as the standing "rabi" crops is exceptionally heavy and, provided enough labour is available to reap it in full, will suffice for the needs of the surviving population for three or four years.

AMPLE RESOURCES

The civil authorities who have now resumed control are being provided by the military authorities with such additional assistance as they require, and enquiries in official quarters have elicited the definite assurance that the resources available locally are ample to deal with the situation and that the services of volunteer parties from outside are quite unnecessary.

The authorities appreciate the genuine offers of assistance that have been made and would not hesitate to accept them if the situation or the interests of the surviving inhabitants would thereby be improved. But the need does not exist. The administration is proceeding quite smoothly, and the survivors are being given all the assistance they require.

If however, in these circumstances, those who have expressed a desire to undertake relief work will devote their time and money to swelling the Viceroy's Relief Fund which as already announced will provide, among other things for maintenance grants, medical appliances and assistance for orphans, they will be rendering very valuable service.

AIRSHIP AS FLYING "LAB"

Dirigible "Los Angeles" Serves As Scientific Institute

LAKEHURST, N.J. (By Mail).

The dirigible Los Angeles, last of the navy's lighter-than-air ships, has gone back into service—but no flights are planned.

The ship has been moved from its hangar and moored to the big mast in the center of the navy reservation here. The dirigible for the coming year will be a floating laboratory.

The object of the "floating lab," according to officials, is for scientists with their instruments to record results of meteorological tests to be made in furtherance of scientific knowledge of dirigibles.

According to Comdr. Charles Rosendahl, the ship also will be used for training officers and enlisted men. Such training will not interfere with their scientific tests, he said.

A crew of 15 men will be constantly aboard and the number will be increased in times of high winds.

Preparations for the tests have been under way for several months, according to Comdr. Rosendahl. While the Los Angeles was decommissioned after the Akron had been completed and the Macon was near completion, navy officers here are hopeful that the ship may be recommissioned for limited flight service.

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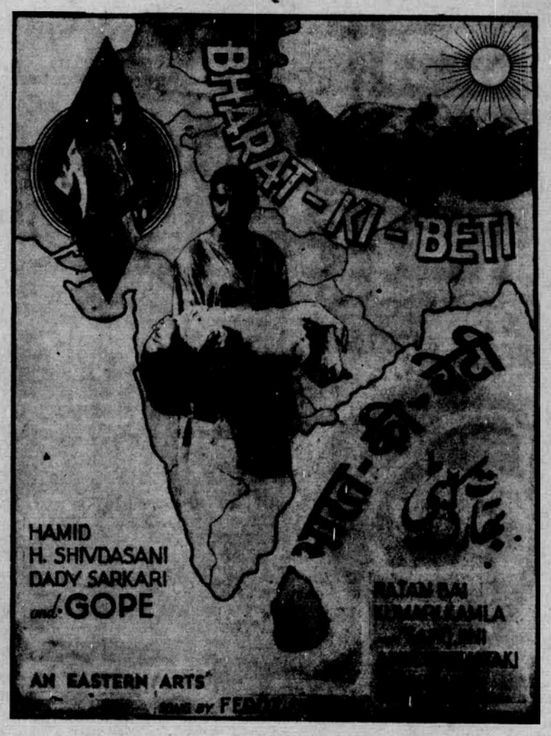

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Loiterer Suspected Of Crime And Arrested

Lala Rowji, suspected by the Gamdevi Police of theft in the residence of Mr. J. W. Ritchie was arrested on Thursday morning and was remanded till July 15 by Mr. I. N. Mehta, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum, to-day.

It is stated Mr. Ritchie left property, valued at Rs. 190, on his dressing table in his bed-room at Jhaveri Building on Gibbs Road At about 4 o'clock on Thursday he heard some noise and woke up to find the property gone. The suspicion against the accused was aroused as he was seen loitering near the house just prior to the theft.

HOUSE IN OLD SATTA GULLY RAIDED

Police Effect Six Arrests And Seize Betting Slips

On Thursday afternoon the Princess Street Police carried out a raid at Old Satta Gully off Sheikh Memon Street in a house and arrested six persons under a warrant issued by the Deputy Commissioner of Police, under the Gaming Act.

The Police seized a number of alleged satta slips and cash.

The arrested persons (1) Dwarkadas Nagarmal, (2) Govindram Vilasram, (3) Ramprasad Lakhmiram, (4) Bassantram Somiram, (5) Dulichand Bhagwandas and (6) Mohanlal Mukharam were placed before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalavala, Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court on Friday.

It was stated that the accused were arrested under a gambling warrant at 4-30 p.m. on Thursday. Inquiries in this case were necessary with a view to establish the rightful owner of the room that was raided and also to trace one Nandoo who escaped from the alleged gambling den in the presence of the police by jumping through the rear window from the 1st floor of House No. 10 at Old Satta Gully.

The Magistrate allowed the accused to continue on the same bail till July 18.

A youth from the tree-dwelling jungle tribe of the Kanikkare, in South Travancore, has passed the Vernacular School Leaving Certificate Examination this year. He is probably the first member of his tribe, or one of the very first members, to do so.

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Evil Practice Which Hinders Progress Of City's Trade

Dr. Venkatrao Urges Government And Medical Profession To Save Public From Menace Of Adulteration Of Drugs

A special meeting of the Chemists and Druggists Association was held on Thursday at the Dawa Bazar, under the presidentship of Dr. M. Venkatrao, the President of the Association.

They considered and discussed the grave menace of adulteration of Drugs, condemned the practice which has been prevalent in the trade at present and considered to be a disgrace and hindrance to the progress of trade.

It was stated that the menace is far increasing and measures should be taken immediately to check the evil which is detrimental to the interest of the genuine dealers and manufacturers as also of the consuming public.

The President, Dr. M. Venkatrao, in the course of his speech said:

"As you are aware, we have been gathered here to-day to consider discuss and to find out a solution out of the most dangerous menace of adulteration of drugs and pharmaceuticals. Everyone of us is troubled with it practically every day and we realise our difficulties to combat with the menace and the fakers. Many a time we find that we ourselves are cheated so cleverly inspite of our daily experience. We find to-day in our trade that the confidence which is essential has disappeared and an air of suspicion has been prevailing all along. How would it be possible for a trade to flourish without confidence and honesty which are the most fundamental things in business?

Imitation Of Bottles

"The complaints of infringement of labels and imitation of bottles or tins are a common occurrence in our trade to-day. Our trade has spoiled its reputation and confidence on account of some unscrupulous dealings by some dishonest dealers. The result is that the majority of bonafide businessmen and the trade have to suffer on their account. This menace should not be tolerated or ignored. The fakers exploit the ignorant public and prosper at their cost.

"We have been tackling this problem as far back as 1928-1929. I had written several letters in the public press all over the country and made propaganda. Perhaps, on account of this agitation Government appointed a Drugs Enquiry Committee in the year 1930. The Committee toured round the whole country and gathered a good amount of information. They submitted their valuable recommendations to Government in the year 1931.

"Since then four complete years have passed away but nothing has come out of these recommendations. I fail to understand why such valuable recommendations of a Committee appointed by Government themselves are shelved for such a long period and fail to grasp the purpose. I also would like to convey to Government that by shelving this Report and delaying the enactment they are indirectly encouraging the grave menace of adulteration. Fakers take opportunity to make fraud over the ignorant public and play with the lives of the suffering public, who are being mercilessly exploited.

Profession's Duty

"Gentlemen, but let me tell you that Government should not be blamed alone for this state of affairs. The general medical profession, supposed to be the real guardian of the public health are also ignoring the issue. I am surprised at their silence. Is it not their duty to see that their patients receive the genuine drug which they have prescribed.

"Last but not the least responsible for this are we, the Chemists and Druggists, who go on overlooking the gravity of the menace which is more detrimental to our own interests. It is that old rigid mentality of ours that 'let us get on, who is going to bother, how are we concern?' which has brought us to the present level. This rigid mentality should be thrown out completely.

"I appeal to you, Gentlemen, to open your eyes and see for yourselves how people of our own trade are organised in the Western countries and how systematically they are working and progressing. We lack discipline and organising power and unless we possess them it would be very difficult for us to face the ever-increasing competition of these days.

"Gentlemen, concluding my speech I would urge upon Government to move immediately in the matter and take immediate steps to enact a suitable legislation to deal with this menace and control and regulate this trade."

Ever-Increasing Menace

The meeting then passed the following resolution which was decided to be forwarded to Government:

"The Committee of the Chemists and Druggists Association apprehend with grave alarm the ever-increasing menace of adulteration of drugs prevalent in the country and of the frauds being committed on the ignorant public by unscrupulous dealers and fakers, to the detriment of the health of the public in general and to the interests of bonafide manufacturers of, and dealers in these drugs.

"They emphasise the immediate necessity of checking this evil by effective measures as recommended by the Drugs Enquiry Committee, and therefore urge upon the Government of India to realise the gravity of the menace and introduce, without further delay, necessary legislation to control and regulate the trade in drugs and pharmaceutical products in the country, thus safeguarding the public health of the country and the interests of bonafide manufacturers and dealers.

"The Committee note with regret that the Government have not yet given effect to the other recommendations of the Drugs Enquiry Committee, although they have been submitted four years back. They, therefore, urge upon Government that they should put into operation these recommendations without any more delay."

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On 7th March the accused was arrested while trying to snatch a "tawiz" (amulet) from a small boy in the street.

In sentencing the accused, his lordship observed:—

"You have nine previous convictions and have spent the best part of your life in jail since beginning your criminal career in 1906. You began by entering other peoples' houses by night. Your latest exploit was an attempt to snatch the "tawiz" from the boy's neck. I have no doubt that you are a most dangerous man and it would be best if you are kept out of Bombay for ten years."

CHURCH DISPUTE DEVELOPMENT

Ex-Wardens File Revision Application Against Kurla Magistrate's Order

(From Our Correspondent.)

THANA, July 5.

Mr. M. A. Bhave, the District and Sessions Judge of Thana, admitted yesterday a revision application filed by C. Walton, A. A. Barretto and David H. Pereira against the order of the Kurla Resident Magistrate Mr. R. W. Potnis, who had declared on June 28 last that Rev. Father Francis Xavier Loriander Fernandez, the acting vicar of the Holy Cross Church at Kurla, Mr. C. Almeida, Mr. G. I. Gomes, Mr. David D. Rodrigues and Mr. G. D. Pereira, new wardens appointed by the Archbishop of Bombay, were in possession of the produce of trees and entitled to retain such possession until ousted by due course of law and strictly forbade any disturbance of their possession in the meantime.

The above order, said the Magistrate, was without reference to the merits of the claim of either of the two parties to the legal right of possession.

The grounds for revisional application were among others that the lower court had exceeded its Jurisdiction in deciding the questions which ought to be decided by a competent civil court, and further it committed a serious error in law in ignoring the provisions of Section 145 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The applicants prayed for a report to the Bombay High Court to get the lower court's order set aside and to stay the order pending decision of this application.

The Sessions Judge also ordered a notice to be issued to the District Magistrate.

Mr. M. M. Karbhari appeared for the applicants.

INDIAN EXPORTS ON INCREASE

No Adverse Effect Of Ban In Foreign Countries

SIMAL, July 4.

With reference to the suggestion in certain quarters that the recent falling off in the railway traffic receipts is due to the marked falling off in the Indian exports caused by restrictive measures introduced by certain foreign countries who are finding difficulty in maintaining their overvalued currencies, enquiries made by "The Associated Press" show that whatever the explanation for decline in the railway traffic may be the authorities here hold that it is certainly not due to the falling off of Indian exports. These have been steadily increasing since the trough of depression.

AUTHORITIES OPTIMISTIC.

It can readily be admitted that there would have been greater increase but for the restrictions which have been placed by so many nations on international trade, but that Indian exports are increasing despite these restrictions is borne out by the latest available statistics and this fact encourages the hope of the authorities that, when measures for stabilising currencies are practicable leading to a diminution of the restrictive measures referred to above, a considerable further revival in Indian export trade may take place.

The value of Indian exports of merchandise during the year 1932-33, 1933-34 and 1934-35 was 135.6 149.7 and 154.7 crores respectively. The latest available figures i.e. for April and May, 1935, show that the increase has been maintained. The value of exports of merchandise for those two months during the year 1932-33, 1934-35 and 1935-36 was 20.5, 21.3, 25.6 and 26.2 crores respectively and for the month of May alone in those years 9.8, 10.8, 13.2, 15.2 crores respectively.—A. P.

GALE HAVOC IN DELHI

NEW DELHI, July 5

Reports of the damages as a sequel to the gale of yesterday morning, is pouring in.

A family of seven, including husband, wife, and children is reported to have been buried under the debris of a house, when it gave way. Several kutcha houses collapsed in various parts of the city. Some huts in Paharganj and Bela Road were blown away.

The civil lines were plunged in darkness for sometime as the electric and telephone lines were dislocated. The mango and 'Jaman' crops in the suburbs have been heavily damaged by the storm. Fire occurred in several parts of the city, including the Municipal stores where some registers and furniture were burnt.—United Press.

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SHARP BREAK OF 26 POINTS IN N. Y. COTTON

Repercussion Of Big Drop In Wheat Prices

CANADIAN GOVT. FAILS TO TACKLE PROBLEM OF HUGE WHEAT HOLDING

Bullion Unchanged But Jute And Rubber Easy

BOMBAY, July 5

On Thursday, cross rates fluctuated within a narrow range.

HEAVY SELLING IN NEW YORK COTTON

New York cotton suffered a sharp break in sympathy with a big fall in Canadian wheat. There was heavy selling pressure. Weather conditions were favourable.

GOLD AND SILVER UNCHANGED

London gold and silver remained unchanged.

WHEAT HEAVILY DEPRESSED

Wheat was heavily depressed on account of the Canadian Government's failure to tackle the problem of huge wheat holding. Linseed was dull.

TIN QUIET AND RUBBER DULL

Tin was quiet. Jute and Rubber were dull.

GILTEDGED SECURITIES NEGLECTED

The London Stock Exchange was quiet with very limited enquiry. Giltedged securities were somewhat neglected.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

(OCTOBER 1935)

New York, July 5

Previous closing	11.78
To-day's opening	11.62
Difference	—.16
To-day's closing	11.52
Difference	—.26

LIVERPOOL COTTON

OCTOBER 1935.

Liverpool, July 5

Previous closing	6.26
To-day's opening	6.26
Difference	unchanged.
To-day's closing	6.22
Difference	—.04

BROACH EXPECTATION

New April May ..... Rs. 218

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

New York, July 5

A sharp break in wheat in consequence of Canadian Government's failure to tackle the problem of huge wheat holdings had its repercussion on the cotton market which was subjected to heavy selling pressure and general liquidation causing a considerable fall in prices. Weather conditions also showed improvement with the result that the market lacked support entirely. However at the lower level, prices offered some resistance and the market rallied partially on covering and some trade buying.

Trading in October commenced at 11.62 i.e. 16 points lower than previous closing. Prices eased sharply on lower Liverpool cables and general liquidation. October gradually sank to 11.60 but thereafter some covering and trade buying ensued resulting in a partial recovering October coming upto 11.66.

The New York cotton market finally closed at 11.52 with a decline of 26 points.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, July 5

The following were the opening ranges:—

July (11.98/11.98) 11.99/11.98
October (11.65/11.64) 11.63/11.60
December (11.64/11.63) 11.59/11.57

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, July 5

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.

American July (6.57) 6.54
American October (6.27) 6.23
Egyptian July (7.90) 7.84
Egyptian October (7.89) 7.82

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 5

Broach New A-M. moved between Rs 222 and Rs. 220-8 at night. The rate at 10-15 p.m. was Rs. 220-12 with New York futures about 14 points down.

TATA IRON AND STEEL COMPANY LTD.

Production In June

Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd., Agents for the Tata Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., report that the total approximate production of Iron and Steel at the Steel Works as Jamshedpur during the month of June 1935 was:—

Pig Iron 58,700 Tons.
Steel Ingots 60,799 Tons.
Finished Steel 49,400 Tons.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, July 4.

July	57 1/2—3 3/4d
October	59—3 3/4d
December	58 7/8—3 7/8d
March	59 7/8—4d

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, July 5

Previous closing	4.94 1/8
To-day's opening	4.94 1/2
To-day's closing	4.94 3/4

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, July 5

Previous closing	4.94 5/16
To-day's opening	4.94 1/4
To-day's closing	4.94 11/16
Difference	+.00 3/8

FRANC RATE

London, July 5

Previous closing	74.76
To-day's opening	74.75
To-day's closing	74.69
Difference	—.07

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, July 5

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.94-1/4 and then improved to 4.94-7/16 subsequently declining to 4.94-5/16.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.94 11/16.

Franc opened at 74.75 and thereafter eased to 74.70 with a slightly lower tendency.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 74.69.

LONDON SILVER

London, July 5

The market was quietly steady

	Last price	To-day's price
Forward	31d.	31d.
Spot	31 3/16d.	31 3/16d

LONDON GOLD

London, July 5.

Gold per ounce (£7-0-11) £7-0-11

DISCOUNTS

London, July 5

3 months (9/16 to 5/8 per cent) 5/8 to 5/8 per cent

4 months (9/16 to 5/8 per cent) 9/16 to 5/8 per cent

6 months (5/8 to 11/16 per cent) 11/16 to 7/8 per cent

CROSS RATES

London, July 5
3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay	1.6 1/8) 1.6 1/8
Paris on Bombay	(5.63 7/8) 5.64 5/8
New York on Bombay	(37.30) 37.30
Berlin on Bombay	(0.93) 0.92 3/4
London on Shanghai	(1-7 3/16) 1-7 1/4
London on Milan	(59.75) 59.81
London on Kobe	(1-2 1/8) 1-2 1/8

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, July 5

Silver opened steady at Rs. 73/7, 73/10 and 74/2. The market was fairly active on some scattered buying but later prices dropped sharply on general selling and liquidation by disappointed holders owing to the lack of confidence with regard to American purchases in London. Prices closed uncertain at Rs. 72, 72/3 and 73/10 after Ashad delivery declining to Rs. 71-8.

Gold opened steady at Rs. 34/14/6, 34/15/3 and 35/0/9. The market showed little activity in absence of any stimulating advices from and after small fluctuations finally closed quiet at Rs. 34/14, 34/14/9 and 35/0/3.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

London, July 4

	This week. £
Total Bullion	193,300,000
Public Deposits	9,600,000
(a) Other Deposits	148,500,000
Government Securities	98,200,000
(b) Other Securities	26,000,000
Notes and Coins	51,900,000
Notes in Circulation	401,400,000
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities	32 81 p.c.
(a) Other Deposits including Bankers	110,500,000
(b) Other Securities including Discount and Advances	13,500,000

THIRTY INJURED IN RIOT

MADRAS, July 5

A Cuddalore telegram reports a serious Hindu, Muslim riot in Morarisadu on Tuesday resulting in injuries to 30 persons. It is stated that a quarrel arose in the course of a parley between Harijan partisans of Hindus and Muslims over beating of drums by a Hindu marriage procession. A fight ensued in which four persons received serious injuries. The police promptly arrived on the scene and stopped the fight.—A.P.

COMMODITIES

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, July 5

Liverpool wheat opened quiet with July at 59 and October at 60-1/4. The market was depressed by bearish foreign cables especially with regard to the grain situation in Canada and prices rapidly fell on general speculative selling.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, July 5

Chicago wheat opened easy with July at 0.82. Prices weakened on general liquidation and commission house selling influenced by bearish reports from Canada.

LONDON MARKETS

London, July 5

The rates at 3-30 p.m. were as follows.

METALS.

Tin (£230 3/4 buyers £231 sellers. Steady) £230 1/4 buyers £230 1/2 sellers. Quiet.

Linseed Calcutta June July (£13 11/16 buyers £13 3/4 sellers. Quiet) £13 11/16 buyers. No sellers. Steady

Electrolytic Copper (£33 3/4 to £34 1/4) £33 to £34

Glasgow (£70) £70

TEA.

Indian Pekoe (0-9) 0-9
Indian Pekoe higher (1-3) 1-3
Ceylon Pekoe (0-10 1/4) 0-10 1/4
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-6 1/4) 1-6 1/4

JUTE

July August New Crop (£19 5/16 sellers) £19 1/4 sellers

Dunlop August (£23 1/2) £23 1/2

Lightning August (£21 3/4) £21 3/4

RUBBER.

Spot (5 15/16) 5 7/8 paid and buyers

Forward (6 1/8) 6 1/16 paid and buyer.

LINSEED.

Linseed Bombay July August (£11 5/8) £11 5/8 sellers

Linseed Calcutta July August (£11 3/8) £11 3/8 sellers

Linseed La Plata July (£9 1/8 sellers) £9 1/8 sellers

Groundnut Coromandal August (£12 15/16 sellers) £12 3/4 sellers

BROWN BOLD LINSEED

September Delivery.

(Through Bombay Grains and Seeds' Association).

Bombay, July 5

	Rs. a. p.
Rates at 9-0 a.m.	6 10 0
Rates at 12-0 noon	6 10 3
Rates at 3-30 p.m.	6 10 3
Rates at 5-30 p.m.	6 9 9
Rates at 6-30 p.m.	6 10 0
Rates at 8-30 p.m.	6 10 0
Rates at 10-30 p.m.	6 9 9

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, July 5

	Rs. a. p.
Wheat September	4 4 9
Linseed September	6 10 0

The tone was quiet.

JUTE SHARES UNCHANGED

Iron And Steel Issues Harden

CALCUTTA, July 5

In share market jutes ruled practically unchanged. Only limited turnover was put through. Coals were dull. In teas only small business took place. In miscelaneous section iron and steel issues met with fair enquiry to-day at hardening prices while others were more or less unchanged. Government securities were quiet. The following were the closing quotations:—

Government securities: 3 per cent paper 85/15 small lot; 3 1/2 per cent paper 95; 3 1/2 per cent loan 1947/50 102/11/6; 5 per cent 1945/55 117/8 small lot.

Banks: Central 38/12; Imperial fully paid 1570; Reserve Bank 131.

Railways: Hardwardehra Branch 120. Mymensingh Bhairah Bazar Rebate 90.

Coals: Amalgamated 23/8; Borrea ord 13; West Jamuria 12/14.

Jutes: Adamjee ord 17/12 small lot; Anglo India 484/8; Belvedere 423; Birla 5/13; Craig ord 1/12; Dalhousie pref 143; Fort William 330; Gourepore 713 small lot; Howrah 56/11; Kamarhatty 585; Lansdowne 165; Megna 33/8; National 24/8; Nuddea 60; Presidency 5/8.

Teas: Eastern Cachar 9/4; Hattikhira 24/14; Hasimara 39; Kingsley Golaghat Assam pref 110; Manabarrie 221/8; Sonai River 20/12.

Miscellaneous: Jubbulpore Elec 11/4; Bengal Iron 3/10; Indian Iron and Steel 7/11; Indian Standard Wagon ord 57/8; Concord of India 11/6; Mahabir Insurance 2/1; B I Corpn ord 3/7; Pref 136; Indian Wood Products 18/8; Cawnpore Sugar ord 35/12; Raza 136 small lot; Rohtas 11/8; Samastipore 10/2.—A. P.

Peruvia Corporation Issues Exceptionally Strong

ESTIMATES OF HEAVY INCREASE IN RUBBER STOCK IN UNITED KINGDOM

Partial Recovery In Wheat After Sensational Fall

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, July 5

The Stock Exchange was very quiet owing to the end of the account but the undertone in most sections was steady. Peruvia Corporation issues were exceptionally strong based on increase traffic receipts for the year ended June 6 of £89732.

In commodities wheat reacted after yesterday's sensational fall but closed under the best rubber eased owing to the estimates of heavy increase in the United Kingdom stocks.

Wall Street opened steady.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, July 5

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed at £98 1/2

PREVIOUS CLOSING RATES.

Thursday, June 27 £97 3/4
Friday, June 28 £97 3/4
Monday, July 1 £98
Tuesday, July 2 £98 3/4
Wednesday, July 3, £99
Thursday, July 4, £98 3/4

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, July 5
3-30 p.m.

General business was very restricted. The general tone was rather irregular. Giltedged securities were dull as the recent rise induced profit-taking. Other sections were featureless.

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£86 1/8) £86 1/8

3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£108 1/2) £108 3/8

4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£112 1/4) £112 1/4

4 per cent Funding Loan (£118 1/2) £118 1/2

3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£106 7/8) £106 5/8

4 per cent Victory Bonds (£117) £117

INDUSTRIALS.

British Homestores 7 per cent Preference cumulative (29-9) 29-6

Marks and Spencer Splits share (4 1/2) 4 1/2

Hydro Electric (dol 3 3/4) dol 3 1/2

Musical Industries (24-7 1/2) 24-0

Princhin Johnson (43-9) 43-3

Imperial Chemical (35-9) 35-9

Imperial Chemical Ord (8-7 1/2) 8-7 1/2

Woolsworth New Ford (112-1 1/2) 112-1 1/2

Realisation 1930 (£81 1/2) £81 1/2

Dunlop Rubber (43-7 1/2) 43-7 1/2

University Ordinary (29-9) 29-9

Ford Motors (35-6) 35-6

Cables and Wireless (£9) £9

British American Tobacco (121-10 1/2) 121-3

Camera A (£8 3/8) £8 3/8

Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (140-0) 140-0

P and O S N Company Defd (19-1 1/2) 19-1 1/2

Distillers (94-6) 95-0

Bred and Dyers (9-0) 9-0

British Celanese (16-4 1/2) 16-4 1/2

J and P Coates Ordinary (61-0) 60-9

Courtaulds Ordinary (58-10 1/2) 58-10 1/2

Fine Cotton Spinners (7-3) 7-3

Westerns Limited Ordinary (13-7 1/2) 13-7 1/2

Inter Nickels (£27 3/8) £27 3/8

Bengal Iron and Steel (6-0) 6-0

Tata Iron and Steel (£105) £106 1/2

PRODUCE RECEIPTS

Bombay, July 5

Wheat	8,673 cwts.
Linseed	1,701 cwts.
Rape, Rai and Mustard-seeds	122 cwts.
Gingellyseed	681 cwts.
Groundnuts	581 cwts.
Rice	16,653 cwts.
Myrabollams	22 cwts.
Cottonseed	1,723 cwts.
Mowraseed	72 cwts.
Gram	937 cwts.
Joowar	297 cwts.
Barley	779 cwts.
Bajree	804 cwts.
Coal	1,365 tons.

INTERNEE STABBING INCIDENT

Inaccuracies In Report Corrected

DACCA, July 5.

The report published in the press as given by a certain News Agency regarding last Wednesday's stabbing incident is inaccurate in many respects.

The name of victim, who was an home-internee was Hiralal Chakravarty and not Peresh Sen as published. The alleged assailant was Peresh Sen, who was arrested immediately after the incident with a bloodstained knife.

Amulya, another young man was subsequently arrested from his residence. The victim Hiralal had returned home after recording the usual attendance at the Thana, but again went out when he was stabbed.—United Press.

INDIAN LOANS

London, July 5
3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian Stock (£87) £86 1/2
3 1/2 per cent Indian (£99) £98 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (£113 1/2) £113 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£117) £117
4 per cent Indian 1948-53 (£108 1/2) £108 1/2
5 per cent Indian 1943-47 (£115) £115
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954-58 (£105 1/2) £105 1/2

AUSTRALIAN LOANS.

5 per cent Australian Loan (£110) £110

TEA SHARES.

Assam Company (19-4 1/2) 19-4 1/2
Donaro Tea (38-9) 38-9
Empire of India and Ceylon (30-0) 30-0

JUTE SHARES.

Bangalore (£13) £13

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo Dutch Rubber (22-9) 22-9
Gula Kelampong (23-1 1/2) 22-1 1/2
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (32-0) 31-9

MINING SHARES.

Nandydrug (58-9) 58-9
Burma Corporation (9-6) 9-6
Rio Tintos (£16 1/2) £16 1/8

THE BANK OF INDIA LTD.

Declaration Of Ad-Interim Dividend At 10 p.c.

The transactions of the past six months have resulted in a profit of Rs. 9,63,238-0-2 from which sum has to be deducted Rs. 1,00,000 for Income Tax and Super Tax, leaving a net profit of Rs. 8,63,238-0-2 for the half year ended 30th June 1935. To this amount has to be added Rs. 5,20,674-3-2 brought forward from the last account, making a total of Rs. 13,83,912-3-4.

This sum the Directors have disposed of as follows:—In payment of an ad-interim dividend at the rate of ten per cent per annum (Rs. 2/8 per share) free of Income Tax on the paid up Capital of Rupees One Crore for the half year ended 30th June 1935, which will absorb Rs. 5,00,000; carried forward to the next account Rs. 8,83,912-3-4.

East Rand Proprietory (51-6) 51-6
Rand Mines (157-6) 157-6

MINE SHARES.

Crown Mines (269-6) 268-9
Goddar New (210-0) 210-0
Moddar New (76-3) 76-3
Sub Nigel (260-0) 260-0
Spring Mines Split Shares (42-6) 42-6
Union Corporation (170-0) 170-0

OIL SHARES.

Venezule Persian (46-3) 46-10 1/2
Anglo Dutch (60-7 1/2) 60-7 1/2
Burma Oil (79-4 1/2) 79-4 1/2
Mexican Eagle (5-0) 5-0
Shell Transport (70-7 1/2) 70-7 1/2
Royal Dutch (25 5/8) 25 5/8

HOME RAIL SHARES.

Great Western (£50) £50 1/2
L M Ford (£20 3/4) £21
L N E R Defd (£6 1/8) £6 1/8
Southern Dutch (£23) £23
London Paris 5 per cent (£134 1/2) £134 1/2
London Board G Stock (£99 1/4) £98 1/4

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, July 5

The following were the opening rates

General Motor (dol 32 5/8) dol 33 1/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 14 5/8) dol 14 1/2
U S Steel Common Ord (dol 33 1/4) dol 33 7/8
U S Steel Preference (dol 87 1/2) dol 88

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVAL.

Bombay, July 5.

British Granadier, A Price, Anglo-Persian Oil Co. Ld, Colombo.

DEPARTURE.

Bombay, July 5.

S.S. Monte Piana; G. Prossen; Lloyd Triestino; Kobe via Colombo.

S.S. Chitral; H. E. Smith; Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., London via Aden.

LOADING.

Bombay, July 5.

S.S. Victoria for Italian Ports.

S.S. Silverhazel for American Ports via Singapore.

STERLING SHARE QUOTATIONS

Bombay, July 5.

Messrs. Forbes and Lund, have received the following quotations by special Cablegram from our Agents in London to-day:—

Names of Company	Latest prices. £
Assam Bengal Railway Ordy. Stock	86 0 0
Bengal Iron 7 1/2 per cent Preference	0 13 9
Bengal-Nagpur Rly Ord Stock	104 10 0
Burma Corporation Ltd.	0 9 6
Cables and Wireless 7 1/2 per cent Ord. A Stock	39 0 0
Calcutta Electric Sup. Copn. Ord.	3 8 0
Calcutta Tramways (Ordy.)	1 12 0
Cawnpore Electric Sup. Ord.	2 2 6
Delhi Electric Sup. Ord.	2 17 0
Foreign Rly. Inv. Trust 5 per cent Prf. Stk.	30 0 0
Genl. and Coml. Invest. Trust Dfd. Stk.	88 0 0
East India Distilleries and S. F. Ord.	1 0 3
Eastern Bank Ltd.	6 15 0
Great Western Rly. Ord. Stock	50 0 0
Hongkong and Shanghai Bankg. Corpn.	125 0 0
Imperial Airways Ltd. Ord.	2 6 0
Indian Copper Corporation (Ord.)	0 3 0
Indian Iron and Steel 7 1/2 per cent Debs.	104 0 0
Rangoon Electric Tram. and S. Ord.	2 0 0
Shahdara Saharanpur L. Rly. 4 1/2 per cent Deb.	94 9 0

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Lack Of Speculative Interest

Liverpool Cotton Market Quiet

Smaller Acreage Estimates Discounted

TECHNICAL POSITION LESS SOUND

Bombay, July 5.

On Thursday both New York and New Orleans markets were closed. The Liverpool market opened at a rise of 3 points. Further hedging of outside growths met with trade calling speculative interest was lacking. Later on there was hedge-selling of distant position, profit-taking and light trade support. The market closed quiet at a rise of one to two points. Middling American spot cotton prices advanced 2 points at 6.57d. per lb.

INDIAN COTTON

East Indian cotton futures market was steady and closed at a rise of one point. At the close July was quoted 6.04, October 6.03 and December 5.79.

EGYPTIAN COTTON

Egyptian cotton futures market was quiet. Sakels futures closed at a decline of one to two points and Upper futures closed one point higher to one point lower.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET

The Alexandria cotton futures market was fairly steady. Sakels futures closed 3 to 7 points higher and Ashmouni futures advanced 4 to 8 points.

SMALL CARRY OVER

Messrs. P. Chrystal & Co.. state:—

After very nearly a month's complete stagnation the cotton market has in the last few days shown an advance of nearly half a Cent under the stimulus of bullish estimates of the acreage and probable size of the crop.

The first Government estimate of acreage is due to be published on Monday next, and private estimates point to a figure of between 28½ and 30 millions with an indicated crop of 10 to 10½ million bales.

It is rather difficult to reconcile these low crop estimates with the official weather reports, which have on the whole been favourable, especially as we have been led to believe that fertiliser has been used on a very lavish scale this season and that intensive cultivation of every acre is the order of the day.

The crop in Texas and Oklahoma had a fair start in so far as subsoil moisture is concerned, but warm day weather in June was needed to give the young plants a good start. Most days in June have been cloudy so it is possible that in these important districts owing to much re-planting being necessary a smaller yield may be expected.

IMPORTANT FACTOR

The weather is the all important factor now and will be for the next two months, as the Government's future policy will be dictated by it. for a crop of 10 million bales might in all probability be marketed without recourse to another loan, while a crop of 12 millions would bring the Government face to face with all its old problems once again.

The world's carryover of American cotton in the world at the end of this season will be about two millions less than last year, so that a crop of only 10 millions, and the same consumption as this season, would leave only a stock of around 7 million bales in the world at the end of another year, and in consequence the resumption of normal business conditions might reasonably be expected.

With spot cotton in New York at 12.45 which is not far short of the price at which the loan cotton may come on to the market, and the uncertainty of weather reports to contend with, we are not prepared to follow the advance much further, and advise clients, who have profits, to take them and replace on reactions.

The local market has followed the advance to the full extent in April/May Broach, to which contract all speculative interest has now been transferred, and the difference between the two Broach contracts has now narrowed to twelve Rupees.

There is no further change since we last wrote as the same moderate demand continues from local Mills and reports of the Monsoon are still favourable.

REALISING ADVISABLE

Messrs. M. and B. Stern, state:—

Absence of any constructive news from America, sharp decline in wheat, sugar, and narrowing of parity, Sakel Egyptian with American, were some of the factors which caused realising.

Hedging of outside growths found poor support in the Liverpool market since it seems to have been deserted by important speculators. The political developments in the far East and in Abyssinia are being keenly watched. Absence of contracts following reports of smaller American acreage may carry prices somewhat higher but we believe for the time-being October Liverpool around 6.35 looks to be a good level for realising profits on recent purchases.

PRIVATE CABLES.

Liverpool October Highest (10-1 a.m.)	6.28+03
Liverpool October Lowest (3-45 p.m.)	6.25

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

Liverpool.—Market discounting smaller acreage. Speculators out of the market. Would buy on declines only.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

	Liverpool 10-12 a. m. Quotations	July 4 To-day Closing
July 1935 ..	..	6.57+02
August 1935	..	6.47+02
September 1935	..	6.35+01
October 1935	6.28	6.28+01
November 1935	..	6.19+01
December 1935	..	6.18+02
January 1936	6.18	6.17+02
February 1936	..	6.16+02
March 1936	..	6.15+01
April 1936	..	6.14+02
May 1936 ..	..	6.14+02
June 1936 ..	..	6.12+02
July 1936	..	6.11+02
Middling Spot	..	6.97+02

EGYPTIAN COTTON

Liverpool, July 4,

F. G. F. SAKELLARIDIS —	
July 1935	7.87
October 1935	7.86
November 1935	7.87
January 1936	7.86
March 1936	7.83
May 1936	7.81
F. G. F. Spot	8.10

INDIAN COTTON.

Liverpool July 4

BROACH.—	
Fully Good (Good Staple) ..	5.95
Fine (Good Staple	6.11
Superfine (Good Staple) ..	6.26
OOMRA.—	
Fine (No. 1 Staple)	6.06
Superfine (No. 1 Staple) ..	6.21
Finest (No. 1 Staple) ..	6.36
BENGAL.—	
Good	4.09
Fully Good	4.19
Fine	4.29
SCINDE.—	
Fully Good	4.19
Fine	4.29
Superfine	4.39

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.

London, July 5

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 0-5/8 per cent to 0-5/8 per cent
Bank Bills 6 months market rate 0-11/16 per cent to 0-7/8 per cent
Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent to 2-1/2 per cent
Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2-1/2 per cent to 3 per cent
Interest day to day loan 0-1/2 per cent to 0-1/2 per cent
Interest 7 days market loan 0-1/2 per cent to 0-1/2 per cent

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, July 4.

	£
Rupee Paper 3-1/2 per cent ..	70-1/2
Indian Stock 3 per cent 1948 or later ..	86-3/4
Indian Stock 3-1/2 per cent 1931 or later	98-3/4
Indian Stock 4-1/2 per cent 1950/55	113-1/2
Consols 2 1/2 per cent. ..	86-1/8
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent. 1961	108-1/2
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent. 1952	106-3/4
Funding Loan 4 per cent. 1960/90	118-1/2
Victory Bonds 4 per cent ..	117
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	14-3/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg.	124-1/2
National Bank of India ..	43-1/2
P. & O. Banking Corporation	10

LONDON RUBBER.

London, July 4

Smoked sheet standard rubber per sellers 0-15/16

COTTON STRADDLES

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES.

Bombay—Liverpool:—

Broach J/A. 233/8—Liverpool July 6.57 Rs. 52 1/4 at Exchange 1/6.
Broach A/M 1936 222/8—Liverpool May 1936 6.14 Rs. 44 1/2 at Exchange 1/6.

MONEY MARKET

Exchange Quotations

Bombay, July 5.

B C Rate T T D D 1/6 1/32
LONDON—
Banks selling T T D D 1/6 1/16
Banks selling T T 1/6 1/16 Ready to Jan.
Banks selling T T 1/6 1/32 Feb-Mar
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/8
Banks buying D D 1/6 5/32
Banks buying 3 Mos 1/6 3/16 Mail.
Banks buying 3 Mos 1/6 5/32 Nov.
NEW YORK—
B C Rate T T 271 3/4
Banks selling T T 269 3/4
Banks buying T T 267
PARIS—
Banks selling D D 559
Banks buying D D 569
AMSTERDAM—
Banks selling D D 54 3/8
JAVA—
Banks selling D D 54 1/8
JAPAN—
Banks selling T T 78 1/4
Banks buying T T 77 5/8
HONGKONG—
Banks selling D D 149 1/2
SHANGHAI—
Banks selling D D 107 1/2
SINGAPORE—
Banks selling D D 156
BERLIN—
Banks selling D D 90 3/8
CROSS RATE—
New York/London Close 4th inst.
Hongkong/London 2/2 7/8 5th inst.
Shanghai/London 1/7 3/16 5th inst
Japan/London 1/2 5/32 5th inst.
Java/London 7.22 5th inst.
London/Paris 74.76 4th inst.
London/Belgium 29.29 1/2 4th inst.
London/Switzerland 15.11 1/4 4th inst.
London/Italy 59.78 4th inst.
London/Berlin 12.27 4th inst.
London/Stockholm 19.39 1/2 4th inst.
London/New York 4.94 5/16 4th inst.
London/Amsterdam 7.27 4th inst.
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.
Gold £7-1-6 3rd inst. £7-0-11 4th inst.
Silver London Ready 31 3rd inst. 31 4th inst.
Silver London Forward 31 3/16 3rd inst. 31 3/16 4th inst.
Silver New York Ready 69 5/8 3rd inst. Closed 4th inst.
London Discounts 3 mos 5/8 p.c. 3rd inst. 5/8 p.c. 4th inst.
London Discounts 6 mos 7/8 p.c. 3rd inst. 7/8 p.c. 4th inst.
Reserve Bank Rate 3 1/2 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money:—Call 1 per cent.
3 Mos 2 per cent
6 Mos 2 1/4 per cent
Tone: Easy.

LONDON EXCHANGES.

London, July 4

T. T. London on.—	
New York Closing Rate	4.91-5/16
Paris	74.76
Berlin	12.27
Madrid	36.67
Amsterdam	7.26-3/4
Brussels	29.29-1/2
Milan	59.78
Berne	15.11-1/4
Prague	11 8.37

LONDON METALS.

London July 4.

	£
Copper Braziers	43-3/4
Yellow Metal	36-3/4
Spelter Hard Indian Brands.	14-1/8
Corrugated Sheets 24 Gauge..	12 3/4
Tin English Ingots Liverpoo	
F. O. B.	229-3/4

SEEDS.

London July 4

Linseed, La Plata Bull C.I.F. ton July sellers £9/2/6
Linseed Calcutta London C.I.F. ton July/Aug. sellers £11/7/6.
Linseed Bombay London C.I.F. ton July/Aug. sellers £11/12/6
Rapeseed Toria (Hull/Cont.) C.I.F. ton July/Aug. sellers £13/0/0.
Castorseed Bombay Hull Cont C.I.F. ton July/Aug. sellers £11/17/6.

LINSEED OIL

London, July 4.

Linseed Oils Naked London per cwt July/Aug. sellers 20/3.
Linseed Oils Naked London per cwt, Jan./Apl. sellers 20/3.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET.

New York, July 4

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) closed

LONDON PRODUCE.

London, July 4

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe parcels July sellers 23/0
Wheat Barletta Russo parcels July sellers 23/0
South Australian Wheat parcels July sellers 25/9

JAVA SUGAR LONDON MARKET

London, July 4

Java Sugar Fine White Dutch Standard No. 25
c and f Calcutta per cwt. July-Aug. nominal 6/8 1/4
c and f Bombay per cwt July Aug. sellers 6/5 1/4
c and f Karachi per cwt. July-Aug. sellers 6/5 1/4

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, July 4.

Broach J/A. Op. 234 3/4; Highest 235 3/4; Lowest 233 1/4; Closing 234 1/4
Broach A/M. 1936 Op. 222; Highest 223 1/4; Lowest 221 3/4; Closing 223 1/4.
Oomra July Op. 213 1/2; Highest 213 1/2; Lowest 211 1/2; Closing 212 1/2.
Oomra D/J. Op. 200; Highest 200; Lowest 198 1/2; Closing 220.
Bengal July Op. 144 1/2; Highest 144 3/4; Lowest 144; Closing 144 1/2.
Bengal D/J. Op. 142 3/4; Highest 143, Lowest 142; Closing 142 1/2.
Teji-Mandi for Broach A/May 1936 (31-5-36) Rs. 31 1/2
Tej-Mandi for Broach Settlement (21-7-35) Rs. 47 1/2.

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, July 5.

The local silver market was quiet but steady with a limited turnover and prices fluctuated within a narrow market. The market is well liquidated and opened business is considerably narrowed down. Present prices are not far from the bottom and we think purchases scale down will prove profittable. The gold market was quiet but steady. Shanghai T. T. on London was quoted 1.7 3/16

	Rs. a. p.
Ready silver	73 8 0
Ashad delivery	73 10 0
Ashad Teji-Mandi	1 6 0
Shravan delivery	74 0 0
Shravan Teji-Mandi	3 2 0
Ready gold	34 13 9
Ashad delivery	34 14 9
Ashad Teji-Mandi	0 4 0
Shravan delivery	35 0 3
Shravan Teji-Mandi	0 8 0

LONDON SILVER.

London, July 4

Market small business.
Spot 31
Forward 31-3/16

LONDON GOLD,

London, July 4

Gold Bars Fine per oz, £7 0/11

COPPER AND YELLOW METAL

Bombay, July 5

London market—
Standard Copper Cash (buyers) £30-8-9
Standard Copper Cash (sellers) £30-10-0
Standard Copper 3 months £30-17-6
Electrolytic copper £34-5-0
New York—
Blue Eagle —
Non-Blue Eagle. Market closed.
Bombay market—
Yellow Metal Sheets Rs. 30 per cwt
Copper sheets Rs. 35/4 per cwt
Copper Asho Rs. 36 per cwt
Yellow Metal Asho —
Tone: Steady.

LONDON SILVER MARKET

London, July 3

"Messrs. Samuel Montagu and Co. Report:—The market continued to be quiet and rather heavy in tone. Selling from India has been a feature and, except for the short burst of buying on June 29th, general demand has been poor. American support was well in evidence at the lower level but no disposition has been shown in that quarter in any way to press the market. Operators generally await an encouragement. In the meantime very considerable amounts continue to leave the hands of speculators, thereby affording if the prospect of lessened resistance if and when an upward movement should occur."—Reuter.

WEATHER OVER U. S. COTTON BELT

East:—Generally fair.
Central:—Partly cloudy, with local showers in Southeast.
West:—Partly cloudy.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, July 4.

3 per cent India Sterling Loan 86 3/4
3 1/2 per cent India Sterling Loan 98 3/4
3 1/2 per cent India Sterling Loan 1954/59 106
4 per cent India Sterling Loan 1948/53 108 1/2
4 1/2 per cent India Sterling Loan 1950/55 113 1/2
4 1/2 per cent India Sterling Loan 1958/68 117
5 per cent India Sterling Loan 1942/47 115
5 1/2 per cent India Sterling Loan 1936/38 104 7/8
6 per cent India Sterling Loan 1935/37 101 1/2
3 1/2 per cent British Consols 86 1/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion 108 1/2
3 1/2 per cent War Loan 106 3/4

WHEAT DECLINE OVERDONE

Fear Of Canada Selling

Bombay July 5.

Messrs. M. & B. Stern have received the following cable from their Liverpool Head Office:—

"Decline due to heavy liquidation, fears Canada may sell freely abroad European crop accounts good. Looks lower, although think decline to-day somewhat overdone."

COTTON ARRIVALS

Receipts into Bombay on 3rd July	2,366
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1934	2,355,050
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,250,653
Increase	104,397

SEEDS TRADERS' ASSOCIATION

Bombay, July 5

Castorseeds September delivery: Opening Rs. 33/3; Highest Rs. 33/7/6; Lowest Rs. 33/2; Closing Rs. 33/3
Castorseeds May delivery: Opening Rs. 6/7/7½; Highest Rs. 6/8/7½; Lowest Rs. 6/7/6; Closing Rs. 6/7/7½
Groundnut seeds August delivery: Opening Rs. 38/15; Highest Rs. 39/3; Lowest Rs. 38/12; Closing Rs. 38/13
Groundnut seeds February delivery: Opening Rs. 6/11; Highest Rs. 6/11/3; Lowest Rs. 6/10/10½; Closing Rs. 6/10/6
Cottonseeds September delivery: Opening Rs. 23; Highest Rs. 23/5; Closing Rs. 23/2
Cottonseeds January delivery: Opening Rs. 2/13/10½; Highest Rs. 2/14/6; Closing Rs. 2/14

ARGENTINE LINSEED

Buenos Aires, July 4

July	11.63
August	11.63—86
September	11.63—07

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 5.

The local cotton market was quiet and featureless. Prices fluctuated within a narrow range. The market opened at Rs. 222/8 for Broach A/M delivery and declined to Rs. 221/12 on scattered realising. Later on the market was steady under small covering by shorts. Pending the U.S. cotton acreage report, there is less desire to operate as weather in America is favourable.

Liverpool market opened steady today with unchanged prices. The local market was steady and closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:—

Broach J/A Rs. 232/12
Broach A/M Rs. 222/4
Oomra July Rs. 211/4
Oomra D/J Rs. 198/8
Bengal July Rs. 144/4
Bengal D/J Rs. 141/8

COTTON TENDERS

Bombay, July 5

	To-day.	Total
Broach	150	200
Bengal	150	1000
Oomra	100	350

OFFICIAL COTTON ROOM RATES

Bombay, July 5

	Extra	Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G—						
Bengal U. P.	...	157	152	148	145	
Punjab	...	157	152	148	145	
Rajputana	...	158	153	149	146	
Oomra No. 3	222	219	215	211	...	
C P No. 1	237	234	230	226	...	
C P No. 2	228	225	221	217	...	
Broach No. 2	...	246	243	239	234	
Punjab-Ame	...	273	270	266	261	
Surat	...	316	313	309	304	
Rajpipla	...	316	313	309	304	
Navsari	...	321	318	314	309	

READY COTTON SALES

Bombay, July 5

117 Viram Ladha Ellichpur 8 on.
101 Viram Ladha Karunja 220
85 Breul and Co Ellichpur 220
400 Narshi Nagshi Safidan 2 on
50 P R Vakharia Girdharwa 15 on
50 B Mavji Bailanganj 6 on
150 Langli and Co Hansi 3 on
100 B Mavji Pafej 10 on
54 Motiram Vaghji Rajkot 154
100 Dawn Mill Devalgaon Rugu 213 1/2
50 Breul and Co Barwaha 2 off

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Bombay, July 5

Bengal Superfine	164
Bengal Fine	156
Bengal F G	148
Sindh-Punjab Fine	156
Sindh-Punjab F G	148
Wardha-Hingt	235
Nagpur Savner	237
Pundhurna	222/223
Yeotmal	222
Arvi	219
Ellichpur	218
Berar	214/216
Khamgaon	216/218
Mirkapur	212/214
Khandesh	210/212
Jalna/Sailu	210/212
Burwah/Sanavad	212/214
Broach Fine	239/241
Punjab/American	273/278
Punjab/American mix	253/258
Cambodia	308/313
Miraj/Sangli	
Compta Good	268/273
Bagalkot	...
Kampala	359
Busoga	356
Jinja	348

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

Bombay, July 5

In full-pressed bales.	Yesterday.	This year. Since 1st Sept
Khandesh	...	252,991
Central India	70	108,057
Barsi and Nagar	79	107,749
Hyderabad Gaorani	...	45,511
Berar	...	401,090
Central Provinces	58	94,980
Total Oomras	207	1,011,378
Dholera	1,649	190,572
N W Provinces	33	33,491
Rajputana	520	45,516
Sind-Punjab	1,208	316,282
Broach	...	131,372
Coompta and Dharwar	36	85,819
Westerns-Northerns	333	65,814
Cocoanada	...	326
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	234	73,615
Persian	...	2,644
American	...	69,598
Egyptian and African	95	332,226
Comilla, Burma and other sorts	...	711
Total	4,305	2,359,355

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY

1st Sept to 27th June

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday.	This year
Europe	211	367,773
Japan and China	2,935	1,068,157
Coast Ports	...	27,783
Up-country by Rail	...	221,632
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan	...	12,028
Total	3,166	1,697,373

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES

F P Bales	1934-35	1933-34
Receipts to date 4-7-35	4350000	7573000
Receipts yesterday 4-7-35	—	1000
Exports to date 4-7-35	4799000	7405000
Stock at Ports 28-6-35	1313000	2564000
Stock at Interior Towns 28-6-35	201000	1222000
Stock at Liverpool 28-6-35	678000	990000
Visible Supply 28-6-35	3713000	5725000
Quantity in sight 28-6-35	7972000	11897000
Quantity out of sight 28-6-35	9577000	12725000

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, July 4.

The Chicago wheat market was closed to-day.

Sluggish Trading In Shares

Absence Of Enterprise

PRICES FLUCTUATE WITHIN NARROW LIMITS

BOMBAY, July 5.

It is needless to emphasise the fact that there is utter absence of any speculative activity in the local Share Bazar. Enthusiasm has disappeared and usual daily jobbing turns result in minor changes in prices.

Both bulls and bears see no chance of making money in the present level of prices and there is less disposition to operate.

It is not uncommon in speculative markets that generally markets display weak tone near bottom levels, but often it is experienced that it is darkest before the dawn. This is more or less correct for the local Share Bazar. If one were to look at price recessions, he will find that except few investment scrips, speculative shares have recorded substantial declines. Tata Steel Dfds. have declined to Rs. 620 from Rs. 750 and Bombay Dyeing shares have lost about Rs. 180 from the extreme high level reached during the early months of the year.

Since then nothing has unfavourably developed which can alter the fundamental situation except reversal of general sentiment. At the top the market was very strong and materially higher prices were expected but now the present low level there is no disposition to buy. Judging the situation as it stands at present, we believe present prices are not far from the bottom and those who can buy scale down and hold on purchases, will be amply rewarded in coming months.

Tata Steel Dfd. shares fluctuated between Rs. 625 and Rs. 620. Ordinary shares were quiet around Rs. 147. There was scattered selling in Andhra shares but Tata Powers were barely steady. Mill shares were quiet with slight realising and Cement shares moved within a narrow range. Trams were easy on tired liquidation.

TEXTILE MILLS

Bombay, July 5.

100	Ahm. Advance	297 8
500	Bom. Cotton	40 0
250	Bombay Dyeing	822 8
250	Bradbury	108 12
100	Century	267 8
100	Central India	301 4
100	Colaba	138 12
100	Cooria	95 0
100	Crescent	7 4
250	Currim	5 0
250	David	60 0
250	Dawn	365 0
1	E D Sassoon	0 3 3
100	Finlay	111 14
100	Gokak	197 8
1000	Hindustan	1,655 0
100	Indore	67 8
50	Kastoorchand	0 8
100	Khatau	77 8
100	Kohinoor	204 6
250	Laxmi	660 0
100	Madhavji	5 0
250	Madras United	45 0
1000	Morarji	800 0
250	Model	49 6
50	Mysore	100 0
200	New Great	142 8
100	Oosmanshahi	55 0
100	Phoenix	317 8
25	Sassoon Silk	38 0
1000	Sholapur	2,300 0
50	Simplex	77 8
100	Swadeshi	169 6

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Bombay, July 5.

Century 268 267
Bom. Dyeing 827 826 825 826 823
Kohinoor 204 203 204/6
Central India 308 309 305 301/4
New Great 141 142
Simplex 77
Swadeshi 172 170 171 169
Bundi 39 38/12 38/8 38/12
L. Cement 431 428 430 427/8
Punjab 28/6 28/4
Shahabad 490 485 488 487
Andhra 1751 1745 1747 1742/8
Tata Hydro 180 179/6
Tata Power 1625 1618 1620 1616 1623 1621 1620
Tram. Ord. 154/1 150/10 151/4 150/15
T. Steel Dfd. 625 620 626 620 622
T. Steel Ord. 147/12 147/4 147/12 146/12
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. 155 153/8 154
Bellapur 338 336 337 333 332 333
B. Steam 306 307 306
B. Burma 341 342 341

100	Swan	85 0
25	Tata	8 0
500	Vishnu	1360 0
1000	Western	850 0
	BANKS.	
50-100	Baroda	100 8
25-50	Central	39 4
500	Imperial	B 1580 0
125-500	Im. Con.	395 0
50-100	India	121 12
5	Union	5 7
	CEMENTS.	
10	Bundi	38 12
70	Gwalior	131 4
160	Indian	427 8
40	Katni Dfd.	1650 0
100	Katni Ord.	427 8
75	Okha	261 4
10	Punjab	28 4
100	Shahabad	487 8
70	United	109 8
	INSURANCE	
15-100	Jupiter	12 4
15-75	New India	45 8
200	Oriental	4460 0
10-100	Vulcan	7 12
	ELECTRIC	
100	Ahmedabad Old	158 12
100	Andhra Valley	1742 8
10	Ajmer	10 12
50	Bombay Tram	150 15
100	Bombay Suburban	177 8
10	Broach	11 2
100	Karachi	230 0
100	Poona	218 12
100	Surat	195 0
100	Tata Hydro	179 6
1000	Tata Power	1620 0
	RAILWAYS	
500	Ahm. Prantij	370 0
100	Amr. Patty	121 0
100	C. Province	87 4
100	Dhond Baramati	94 0
100	Gujarat	72 0
100	Mandra Bhon	94 0
100	Pachora Jamner	94 0
100	Sara Sirajgunge	92 0
500	Tapty Valley	770 0
	MININGS	
10	Shivrajpur	30 4
30	Tata Steel def.	612 8
75	Tata Steel Ord.	146 12
	MISCELLANEOUS	
100	Alcock	165 0
50	Belapur Sugar	333 2
250	Bombay Steam	306 4
125	Bombay Burma	341 4
50	Bombay Burma Conty	113 12
8	Sh. Br. B. Petrol	3 4
50	Bombay Telephone	111 8
100	Indian Bleaching	122 8
100	Ind. Radio Defd.	512 8
100	Ind. Radio Ordy.	502 8
1000	Port Canning	800 0
15	Scindia	12 8
30	Premier Construction	82 12
25	Tata Oil	18 0
	PREFERENCE.	
7	p c Andhra Valley	1358 0
6	p.c. Bombay Steam	235 4
7	p.c. Bombay Trams	83 6
5	p.c. Central India	507 8
7	p.c. Katni 1st	135 8
7	p.c. Katni 2nd	143 12
7 1/2	p.c. Punjab Cement	14 4
7	p.c. Tata Hydro	141 14
7-1/2	p.c. Tata Power	1418 4
6	p.c. Tata Steel 1st X.D	187 4
7-1/2	p.c. Tata Steel 2nd X.D	154 0
5 1/2	p.c. Tata Mill	15-0
7	p.c. Vishnu	680 0

U. S. COTTON BUREAU REPORTS.

During the 1935 season, the United States department of agriculture will issue its usual cotton crop reports, and the department of commerce, its cotton ginnings reports, on the following dates:—

1935.
Monday, July 8, Acreage.
Thursday, August 8, Crop and Ginnings.
Friday, August 23, Ginnings.
Monday, September 9, Crop and Ginnings.
Monday, September 23, Ginnings.
Tuesday, October 8, Crop and Ginnings.
Friday, October 25, Ginnings.
Friday, Novembrr 8, Crop and Ginnings.
Thursday, November 21, Ginnings.
Monday, December 9, Crop and Ginnings.
Friday, December 20, Ginnings.
1936.
Thursday, January 23, Ginnings.
Friday, March 20. Final Ginnings.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

SETTLEMENT SCRIPS.

Bombay, July 5.

3 1/2 per cent G P N Sett 95/1
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash 95/3
4 per cent 1960/70 Sett 106/14
4 per cent 1960/70 Cash 106/14
5 per cent 1945/55 Sett 117/10
5 per cent 1945/55 Cash 117/11

TAX FREES

4 per cent 1953/63 Mysore 106/4
5 per cent 1955 Mysore 117/8
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore 107/8
6 1/2 per cent 1935 B D L 101/6

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES (CASH)

3 per cent 1941 101/3
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 102/9
4 per cent 1948 106/8
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 113/12
5 per cent 1939/44 108/5
5 per cent 1940/43 109/13
5 per cent 1935 100/4
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 106/4
6 1/2 per cent 1935 T B 100/14

CORPORATION LOANS (TAXABLE)

4 per cent B P T 1974 104
4 per cent M Deb 1974 103/8
5 per cent M Deb 1959 114/0
6 per cent M Deb 1954 126/8
6 per cent K P T 1956 126/8
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937 105

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government paper opened to-day at Rs. 95/0/6 and improved to Rs. 95/2 but profit-taking weakened prices. The market was dull and there is no disposition to buy.

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Trade Restrictions On Indian Export

GOVT. EAGERLY CONSIDERING SITUATION

Mr. Stewart's Reply To Merchants' Grievances

Mr. T. A. Stewart, C.S.I., I.C.S., Secretary to Government of India, Commerce Department, made some important statements on various subjects relating to commercial and financial matters affecting the country, at an informal meeting he had with the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber on Tuesday.

The following are some of them:—

In connection with the Indianisation of the Higher Port Trust Services, Mr. Stewart is understood to have stated that as far as this question was concerned the Government of India had already indicated their idea and the Indianisation was progressing well. As far as the Indian Majority on the Boards of the various Port Trusts were concerned, the Government think that so long as there is weightage of places for the representatives of various interests as safeguards Government are satisfied that there is no need to change the present method.

As for the refusal by the Governor-General the permission sought to introduce a Bill in the Bombay Legislative Council for securing the appointment of an Indian Chairman to Bombay Port Trust, it was a matter entirely within the discretion of the Governor-General.

Trade Restrictions

As to the question of Trade restrictions imposed by various Governments on the Indian Export trade, Mr. Stewart is reported to have stated that the Government were eagerly considering the position of India's foreign trade. Further he said in the first place, it has not been found out whether the present malady is permanent or of a temporary character; if it is of a temporary character, the introduction of severe measures might ruin India's foreign trade in future. If however, it is of permanent nature the Government would consult the experts in this matter as to how to meet the problem of trade restrictions.

But, due to the complexities of the problem they had not been able to come to any final understanding of the situation.

So far as Trade Treaties with other Governments are concerned, the Government were, however, considering the feasibility of making the following arrangements:

1. Exchange agreement.
2. Compensation agreement.
3. The suggestion of the Indian Merchants' Chamber for introducing trade licenses.

Divergence of Trade

At the same time, Government were anxious not to divert the normal channel of trade from the present course. He has also understood to have assured that the Government would consider the question whether any scheme of compensation agreement by formation of export Association would be possible, or by a system of individual agreement.

As for the charges levelled against the Ottawa Pact as a cause for trade restrictions he is reported to have refuted the same and replied that on the contrary facts and figures showed otherwise.

So far as the revision of the Companies Act, he is stated to have replied that the report of the special officer appointed by the Government for this purpose has been submitted and that it is before the Law Member who is personally going through Government were also considering two proposals in this regard either to place the same before the expert committee or tentatively submit the bill drafted for the consideration of the public and the various chambers of commerce and other interests.

Uunder Investigation

Regarding the Insurance legislation he is understood to have stated that Mr. Sen, the special officer was asked to continue the work and investigate the same.

As to the question of amending the Indian Merchandise Marks Act he is reported to have said that the same would be taken up after the Indian Companies Act and Indian Insurance legislation was completed.

Regarding the question of the treaties with Maritime states in Kathiawar, he is reported to have stated that no agreement had yet been reached at though negotiations were going on. It was more a concern of the Finance Department than of Commerce Department.

As to the question of the appointment of Trade Commissioners, Mr. Stewart, it is learnt, stated that a reply had already been given to the Federation of the Chamber of Commerce. Further there were two trade zones, one African and another Western zone He did not think that the present was opportune time for appointing any more Trade Commissioners, but at the same time Government would consider any concrete suggestions of the Merchants' Chamber in this matter. In this connection, the Government had been considering the appointment of a Trade Commissioner for Japan but the question of diplomatic relation came in the way.

No Protection

With reference to the recommendations of the Tariff Board in connection with reeds and healds he stated that this industry had not satisfied the requirements of the fiscal commission report regarding its claim for protection.

As far as the decision of the Government on the recommendations of the Tariff Board on Glass Industry, Mr. Stewart is understood to have said that Government was right in postponing giving decision as though to do so at this juncture, would be putting the cart before the horse.—United Press.

BOMBAY FLYING CLUB MEMBERS AT HESTON

Members of the Bombay Flying Club, who flew from Bombay on June 1st are seen here walking from their plane after arrival at Heston. Their leader, is Instructor A. C. Gazdar (centre.)

EUROPEAN STEEL CARTEL

Five Year Agreement With British Federation

The British Iron and Steel Federation announces that its five-year agreement with the International Steel Cartel, as the results of the Luxembourg conference of June 4, provides that imports into the British market from cartel countries of all iron and steel products coming within the purview of the federation shall not exceed 670,000 tons during the first twelve months. In each subsequent year the import shall not exceed 525,000 tons per annum.

The agreement also secures for the British Industry the 1934 proportion of the total export trade in neutral markets. Existing international agreements in which the British industry is participating, covering rails, tinplates, plates, etc., from an integral part of the general agreement, to give effect to which a number of subsidiary agreements will be necessary.

This agreement takes the place of the present temporary pact, which expires on August 8. The terms of the agreement, which is for five years, provide for a break at three years at the instance of either party on giving six months' notice.

APPEAL AGAINST HIGH COURT JUDGMENT

Corporation Authorises Municipal Commissioner To Clarify Constitutional Issue

By an overwhelming majority, the Municipal Corporation on Friday evening resolved to file an appeal against the judgment of Mr. Justice Wadia in connection with Mandvi Ward election case. The meeting was called by the Mayor, specially for the purpose of deciding what course to follow in view of the judgment.

At the outset, Mr. K. F. Nariman, Mayor, intimated that Mr. Justice Wadia had in his judgment directed the Municipal Commissioner to hold a bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Ramji Bharmal. The Advocate General, he said, on consultation had advised the municipal solicitors to file an appeal.

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas said by going to appeal, money of the municipal corporation would be wasted.

Mayor: It is left to the Municipal Commissioner under the Act.

The suit was filed against the Municipal Commissioner and he has a right to defend any legal proceedings. The appeal is the continuation of the legal defence. The Corporation had however a right to express an opinion on the matter for the guidance of the Municipal Commissioner.

RIGHTS OF ELECTORS

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas then moved: That in view of the judgment delivered by Mr. Justice Wadia, the corporation is of opinion that no further action should be taken in the matter. That the solicitors' letter be recorded and the Municipal Commissioner be requested to hold bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Ramji Bharmal.

Mr. Jamnadas said the Corporation was a democratic body. It was the duty of the electors to fill the vacancy, and if they failed to do so, they would be encroaching upon the rights of electors.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta opposed the resolution, and said it was a constitutional question which should be decided by the highest tribunal. In future a similar situation may arise, and therefore it was better to thresh out the matter now

Dr. J. N. Choksey also supported Mr. Jamnadas Mehta.

NEED FOR APPEALS

Mr. A.P. Sabawala said that they had to do their duty according to their conscience. Even if the High Court had decided one way, that was not final, unless they went to appeal. The Municipal Commissioner in going to appeal was doing a public duty. If he did not go to appeal, he would be failing in his duty. If in the appeal, the judgment of Mr. Justice Wadia was set aside, they would be saving cost of bye-election.

Mr. G. I. Griffiths said, the Municipal Commissioner was not against bye-election. He was advised to file an appeal to clarify the issues.

Mr. S. K. Patil said the electors had an inherent right which they should be called upon to exercise by bye-election.

At this stage closure was moved and the resolution was declared lost, 12 voting for it and 51 against it. A poll was demanded and it was declared lost 14 voting for it and 54 against it.

The Mayor then fixed Wednesday, 4-30 p.m. to fill up the vacancy of Mr. J. H. Vora by co-option and if the judgment of the appeal court was in favour of co-option, then the vacancy of Mr. Ramji Bharmal also would be filled up the same time. The same nominations will continue till then

ALLEGED ATTACK ON EUROPEAN

Youth Tries To Escape From Train But Is Arrested

CALCUTTA, July 5.

A Bengali youth, who is wanted in connection with a theft at Calcutta, attacked and slightly wounded Mr. Chapman, a European, who was travelling in a second class compartment on a B.N.R. train.

It is stated that when the train passed Chengail station at about 10 p.m. on Wednesday night, Mrs. Chapman noticing a man standing on the footboard and trying to open the door of their compartment woke up her husband.

Mr. Chapman challenged the intruder, who attacked him with a knife injuring him in the wrist and hand. On the communication cord being pulled the train stopped, but the youth had already disappeared.

He was, however, later found under the seat of a third class compartment.—A.P.

It is understood a grand rally of about 50,000 Khaksars will be held during the coming Christmas holidays in a central place like Delhi in order to push forward the cause of the Khaksar movement.

SIND DEPUTATION TO WAIT ON VICEROY

KARACHI, July 4.

A personal deputation to wait on the Viceroy at Karachi as original decided consisted only of the Hindu and Moslem members of the Assembly but persistent requests have been made to include non-officials too.

Consultation to this end are proceeding but if the request is to be conceded to His Excellency's permission will be necessary. Details of the deputation have not yet been decided upon.

It is however understood that the representations will relate to the measures immediately necessary for salvage operations.

Mr. Lalchand Navalrai is arriving here on the sixth to consult the other members of the deputation on the question of representations to the Viceroy.—A. P.

Empire Parliamentarians were welcomed by the Duke and Duchess of York at a reception held at the Imperial Institute at which 850 guests celebrated the 48th anniversary of the laying of the foundation stone by Queen Victoria. It is hoped that the visit of Empire Parliamentarians, will lead to wider co-operation in the Dominions.

HOUSE BREAKERS ACTIVE IN DONGRI

4 Suspects Caught By Police Who Are On Look Out For Others

BOMBAY, Friday.

Four persons arrested in connection with a case of house breaking by night and theft of property consisting of clothes and ornaments collectively valued at Rs. 795 from a house at Dongri were ordered to be remanded in custody by the Presidency Magistrate, Third Court on Friday.

The accused (1) Ismail Hasham, (2) Ismail Alli Mohamed, (3) Madani Haji Sumar and (4) Visram Damji were arrested yesterday.

The police suspect that there is a gang operating in the section and there might be some others also implicated in the offence, as the property in question has not been recovered.

The hearing of the case was fixed for July 19.

Not Out For Editorship Of Any Paper

C. RAJAGOPALACHARI REFUTES PRESS CANARDS

Busy With Gita And Valmiki

Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar writes from Gandhi Ashram, Tiruchengodu:—

A sympathetic Delhi weekly paper made me Editor of the "Hindustan Times." It took some days to kill this idle story. But the legend is re-born in Malabar with a local transformation. I am going to be the Editor of the "Hindu" according to the current story in Kerala!

Sjt. Shankerlal Banker heard this talk during his recent West Coast tour of khadi inspection. How can idle folk accept it as a fact that I of all people am resting? They think clever men do not rest, they always try for jobs. The truth about me is first, I am not clever, and I am incapable of editing first or even a second class daily newspaper, and unlike some people I am clever enough to know my limitations; secondly, I did not obtain leave on false pretences from Babu Rajendra Prasad and Vallabhbhai Patel, and in order to overcome their objections worry Gandhiji also to support my application, only that I may try for a job of this kind. If I was tired or did not like politics, how can I run a daily or other paper, which depends entirely on successful politics? If anyone wishes to know what I am doing he may, instead of making ridiculous guesses from a distance, come and live with me and give me some help which I badly need to spell through Valmiki and Gita.

IN VALMIKI LAND

I am just now more acquainted with the politics of Dasaratha's palace than with the problems that agitate Simla or Ootacamund. I know Kaikeyi's mind better than that of the Justice Party or Lord Willingdon's. I am struggling with my fatigued nerves to unravel the practical meaning of the words in the Gita which in the context I can never never take to be a string of mere counsels of perfection, but must be capable of being put on the loom of real life. It is not matter for congratulation but the bare truth that I am bored. If people talk or write to me about politics or jobs which they seek to get through my help. I am bundling up letters received and trying without giving offence to let the chain break off at my end. I have sent my Secretary out and poor fellow, he is trying for a small job somewhere, and I wish people helped him to find it, instead of inventing big jobs for me.

PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE

When I go out for a short walk I see men and women in rags too weak and destitute even to pluck up the courage to ask for help. I have read somewhere that life is a tragedy to those who feel, but it is a mighty fine comedy to those who think. I try to think, without feeling. But it is very hard. The tears come as one sees this poverty unable to help.

LESSON OF GITA

"They have refused to give me cotton, why?" asked one of them last evening, as I stopped to see what she was doing in the inhospitable thorny bush on the hedge. I would have been agitated by her question some years ago. But now I am learning from the Gita not to be agitated. So I suppressed my feelings. I remembered that "qualities" of men and women produce their activities, not the Soul of their souls within them. So I said to this widow, that put the question: "People do not buy khadi, they are fond of wearing Swadeshi mill cloth. What shall we do with your coarse yarn? Did the Manager tell you that your yarn was not good?"

"Yes, he said so and refused to give me cotton. I am therefore keeping a goat and trying to see if I can make something that way, but it is difficult to get green leaves for the goat. The rains are holding off."

TOO THORNY TO REACH.

She was trying to extricate a green creeper that was entangled in the thorns. Have you seen these creepers managing to keep green in the midst of the universal tragedy of waterless ashy grey? Amidst rocks and gravel and bushes that are nothing but dry thorns and angry spikes, these persevering things get moisture somehow from the atmosphere and hide themselves in the protecting bush. Even the goats find it too thorny to reach, but human poverty searches out these creepers for eking out goats' fodder for a day or two. Don't ask what afterwards! It is only happy men and women that think of so much as a year or two. The men and women round about this place have lost the capacity of thinking much beyond a day. The week to them is a whole year and two or three weeks is the whole horizon of their shortened vision of life itself.

STUDY NEEDS OF POOR.

We have Rs. 50,000 worth of Khadi bundled up in our best room here. If we could sell this off, we would give some work to these hapless beings whom the Gods seem to have deserted and who look upon a pound of cotton given to spin even as you would welcome an appointment order on Rs. 300 per month, just when you were retrenched out of your last job and doctor's bill and railway expenses having consumed all the cash you had, and you are dodging your landlord and your milkman. Let your own bigger (but not greater) wants and troubles teach you how to feel for these poor families that starve here if you buy mill woven cloth imagining it to be splendid duty done by the motherland. The mother has other and numerous children besides the mill managers and the dividend sharers and you are rendering these children destitute by feeding the overfed.

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